

THE LADIES COME TO THE RESCUE

MANUAL TRAINING AND DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

Almost Enough Money Raised by the Women's Clubs of the City to Assure these Branches of Education in our Public Schools. Ladies Tackle the Subject with a Will and Make Good Progress.

The members of the school board in this city had decided that the matter of introducing manual training and domestic science into the new high school would have to go over for another year owing to the fact that so much money is now being expended in the erection and completion of the new high school that there is no more available.

But the ladies of the city have willed different, and it begins to look as if some of the sayings about a woman having her own way are at least partially true.

A week ago last Saturday night the members of the various women's clubs in this city held a meeting at the library building to see what they could do towards raising the money to furnish the rooms for the carrying on of the studies in question. The commissioners had stated that it would require the sum of \$750 to properly equip the rooms with the paraphernalia for these studies and it was with this goal in sight that the ladies started out.

At the meeting it was discovered that if the amount necessary were equally divided among the ladies club

members it would mean that each would have to either pay or raise the sum of \$12.50, so the matter was settled by deciding that the amount could be hauled and those present were instructed to inform the other members of the clubs what they were expected to do.

The consequence was that the women get busy, and there was about a week when it was dangerous for a man to give any of his feminine friends a pleasant look, the inevitable consequence being that he was held up and made to shell out the sum varying in amount from fifty cents to any height the victim cared to go.

The results were gratifying. The ladies held a second meeting and after hearing the reports from the different societies it was discovered that the dear ones had succeeded in doing the male population out of the sum of \$500, and that there was no question but what the other two fifty could be obtained with a very little added effort. Of course the men did not give it all, but some few who had never before been known to donate to anything where they did not see two dollars coming back for every one they paid out really felt as if they were bearing most of the burden, "and taxes so awfully high, you know."

There was only one thing where any of the high schools of the surrounding country could claim that they were in any way ahead of what the Grand Rapids High school would be when finished, and that was in the teaching of domestic science and manual training, and now that these branches are practically assured, there are none of them that can make any claims to superiority. The work that the ladies have done is something to be proud of and should be appreciated by every resident of the city, whether he has children attending the school or not. It shows the proper spirit, the kind that always wins out in the end.

THE NEW HOTEL DIXON.

Plans Completed and Work Progressing Rapidly on New Hotel Building.—To Be One of the Finest in this Section.

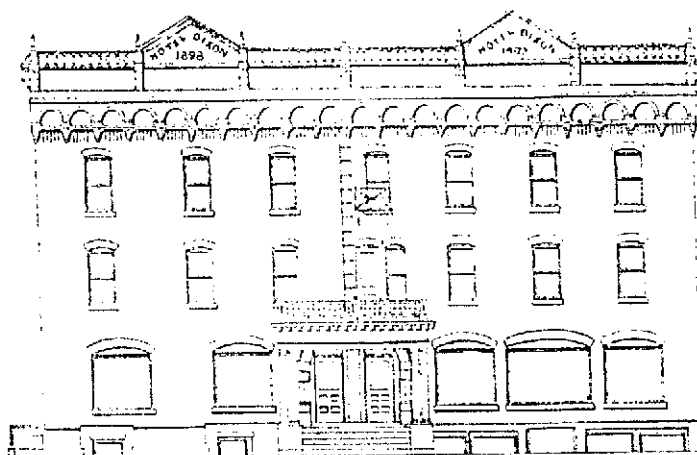
The plans for the new Dixon house have been completed and the building will not only be a large and imposing one but there is every promise that it will be thoroughly up to date in every respect and a hostelry that we need not be ashamed of in any way.

The new building will have an 80 foot front and three stories clear across, and will contain 41 guest rooms, making it one of the largest hotels in this part of the state. It is expected that it will again open to the public on the 15th of August and it is Landlord Dixon's intention to have it such a place that there will be no demand for anything better.

will be of quarter-sawn oak and pine. The second and third floors will contain 41 guest rooms, a parlor, toilet and bath rooms, and will be finished in Georgia pine. A hall will open onto the portico from the second floor and there will be fire escape extending to the floor above. There will also be two fire escapes in the rear of the building.

The kitchen will also be enlarged to correspond with the rest of the building and will be modern in its equipment, and it is proposed to make the cuisine as good as that of any hotel in the country.

The new hotel will be heated with



The hotel will practically have four stories, it being the intention to utilize all of the space in the basement to good advantage. The basement will contain a buffet, billiard and card rooms, a three chair barber shop with four bath rooms in connection, and later it is the intention to add Turkish baths. There will also be two sample rooms in the basement, with wood room, laundry, furnace room and vegetable cellar. The buffet will be fitted with the latest bar fixtures and finished in quarter-sawn oak and marble. The barber shop and bath rooms will be under the management of Frank Dudley and will be thoroughly up to date.

The first floor will contain the office and lobby room 24x40 feet with writing and reading rooms, parlor, dining room, two sample rooms, and kitchen. The front of the building, which will be 80 feet in width, will be of plate glass. The front door will be covered by a portico reaching to the curb. The floors of the first story will be of tile throughout, while the woodwork

steam throughout the building, and every floor will be provided with hot and cold water and lighted by electricity.

The Dixon has been in existence during the past twenty years, and it has grown from a small frame building to the fair sized hotel it was at the time of the fire on the 20th of April. The new hotel will be as much of an improvement over the little wooden building of twenty years ago. It is figured that the capacity of the new building would be sufficient to accommodate a city of fully ten thousand people, and Mr. Dixon stated that should the growth of the city warrant it he will increase the size of the hotel accordingly.

It would seem that the hotel problem had been solved. With a first class hotel on each side of the river there is no reason why the traveling public should not find ample accommodations for several years to come, and the rebuilding of the Dixon will certainly prove a great benefit to the city and have a marked tendency to give the west side a more metropolitan appearance.

Berkeley people, who regret his departure from our city. He is prominent in Masonic and Odd Fellow circles and was always found ready to contribute his part at their gatherings, at which he was a regular attendant.

"Mrs. Loveland is well and favorable known in Redwood City and San Mateo county, where she resided for many years, and her marriage will come as a surprise to her many friends."

The Tribune extends congratulations.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

Will be Held Next Week by the High School Scholars.

The program for Class day and commencement exercises as prepared by the high school scholars is herewith given. The order of the exercises is as follows:

Baccalaureate sermon, Sunday, May 24th, at the Congregational church, Rev. B. J. H. Shaw.

Dedication of Lincoln building, Tuesday, May 26th.

Class day, Wednesday, May 27th.

Commencement exercises, Thursday, May 28th. The programs are as follows:

CLASS DAY.
Instrumental Music—Selected.
A. H. Colcord, James Cramer, John Stelb, Class History, East Side.
Class History, West Side.
Instrumental Music—Selected.
Class Frolics.
Class Statistics.
Chorus.
Farewell to Buildings.
Class Characteristic.
Vocal Duet—Till We Meet Again.
E. H. Bailey, Anna Reeves, Ruby Atwick.
Address to Juniors.
Response.
Instrumental Music—Selected.
High School Orchestra.
COMMENCEMENT.
Instrumental Music—Selected.
A. H. Colcord, James Cramer, John Stelb.
Invocation.
Rev. W. A. Peterson.
Oration—Influence of Home.
Oration—Faith in the Unseen.
Vocal Solo.
Angels' Serenade.
Matthias Bunge.
Essay—Virgil Clavier Method of Piano.
Pratledge.
Oration—Newspapers.
Vocal Solo—Selected.
Oration—The Trust Question.
Oration—The Negro Question.
Quartette—Happy Day (Duke).
Matthias Bunge, T. A. Taylor.
Essay—Thomas B. Reed.
Oration—The Formation of Character.
Solo—Selected.
Oration—Influence of Women.
Essay—Value of Money.
Vocal Solo—Spring Awakening (T. D. Howley).
Oration—Faith or Arbitration.
Duet—Saviour Breathe an Evening Blessing (Arranged by Geo. Nevin).
T. A. Taylor, Laura Reeves.
Debate—Resolved, that it is for the best interests of the people of the United States, that the railroads shall be owned and operated by federal government.
Concession. It is conceded that such ownership and operation is constitutional.
Affirmative: Roy Nash, Earl Brennan, Negative: Will Teller, Clyde Herrick.
Quartette—In this Hour of Softened Splendor (Phisuite).
Laura Reeves, T. A. Taylor.
Decision of Judges.
Presentation of Diplomas.
Class Motto—"Forward."
Glass Flower—White Carnation.

The exercises will be held in the assembly room of the new high school which will be ready for occupancy at that time.

Death of C. A. Hall.

Calistus A. Hall, at one time a resident of this city, and a brother to Joseph Hall, was killed at Ellis on Saturday afternoon by being caught in a stone crusher and mangled in a horrible manner. The following from the Stevens Point Journal, tells of the accident:

He was on top of the machine attending to the oiling. He stood behind the hopper between two heavy fly wheels. As he stood there a stone got lodged in the jaws and he reached over to disengage it. As he did so he appears to have slipped and his right foot got caught between the spokes of one of the fly wheels and the edge of the machine, in a space of about two inches. Each spoke as it came around knocked off a piece of the bone and flesh and dragged the limb a little further into the machine. Some of his companions grabbed him and tried to hold him back but the tremendous momentum of the heavy fly wheels kept carrying him down until the limb was reduced to a pulp up to the hip.

After he was extricated from the machine he was removed on a sheet to Peter Eiden's residence where he died in about an hour from the shock and internal injuries caused by striking of the cords of his limb. He was conscious almost to the last and talked fondly of different members of his family.

Mr. Hall was born at Randolph station, Columbia county, on Jan. 29, 1858. When he was four years of age his parents removed to Grand Rapids, where he remained until 1893, when he came to this city and has been in the employ of the city most of the time ever since. In 1877 at Grand Rapids, he married Miss Charlotte Lewis, who with two sons, aged 15 and 7, and a married daughter, Mrs. May Mayloy, survives him. He also has two brothers and three sisters, Joseph Hall of Grand Rapids, Rufus Hall of North Dakota, Mrs. George Towele of Minneapolis, Mrs. Louis Bossard of Waterloo, Iowa and Mrs. Maria Cadwell of Omaha.

The funeral was held Tuesday at 2 o'clock from the house, Rev. W. A. Hall officiating, the interment followed in Forest cemetery.

To cure a cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Broun Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

GIANT GRIPMAN WINS THE MATCH.

PROVES TOO HEAVY FOR THE MARSHFIELD BOY.

People See the Best Match Ever Had Here—Beell and Rooney Both in Good Condition and Wrestled for All That is in Them. A Fair Sized Audience in Attendance.

The wrestling match that was to have taken place between Fred Beell and Wm. Watson of Chicago on Tuesday evening failed to materialize on account of Watson breaking two of his ribs while training for the event, thus putting him out of the game for a time at least. Watson telegraphed the fact on Sunday and offered to secure Rooney to take his place. This was agreed to by Beell, so the side bet of \$100 was called off and the match went on.

The men came on the mat at 9:35. There was a noticeable difference in their size, Beell looking like a pigmy alongside of his giant antagonist. Beell weighed a trifle over 160 pounds and Rooney must have gone 200 at least.

Both men were a trifle cautious at the beginning of the first round, each having respect for the other's ability. They soon got to mixing things, however, and they went to the mat with Beell on top. It was when in this position that the excessive size of Rooney helped him out of trouble almost continuously. Beell was much the quicker of the two, and had no trouble in keeping on the back of his adversary. But the big fellow got out of several tight places by virtue of his weight, and getting the upper hand, took a turn at the little fellow's wind. In the first round Rooney got a leg hold on Beell that looked like a cinch, but the Marshfield boy managed to break it before he had been weakened to any extent. This round lasted 21 minutes and was a good one from start to finish, Rooney finally winning the fall by a half nelson and bar hold. Time 21 minutes and 30 seconds.

Only 10 minutes were allowed between falls, but when the men appeared for the next bout they were apparently as fresh as ever. They went at it this time fast and furious, each seeming to want to end the matter as rapidly as possible. In spite of the disparity in their size, they seemed to be quite evenly matched, Beell's strength and quickness putting him on about an equal footing with the big fellow. During a mixup Beell got a forward half nelson on Rooney and before there was time to see how it was done the big fellow had been rolled on his back and pinned there. Time of round, 7 minutes.

When the men came on for the third round they were both cautious and did not seem inclined to give the other any advantage by making a mismove. They soon warmed up to business, however, and there were many good holds taken and broken. Rooney seemed to be a little the worse for wear in this round, and was puffing pretty hard. Both men had worked hard and it seemed every minute as if the round would be ended, but Beell invariably escaped by his quickness, while Rooney used his extra weight to good advantage to help him out of the tight places, and the result was that it was 18 minutes and 7 seconds before it was ended by Rooney getting a half nelson on Beell and putting his shoulders to the mat.

The match was a nice clean one from start to finish, there being no questionable tactics used at any time, and as the struggle held was barred there was nothing but straight wrestling all the way thru. Beell was handicapped somewhat by a bad cut over his eye which he recently acquired while splitting wood at home, his ax striking a clothesline and rebounding caught him over the eye and cut to the skull. This had only partially healed, and the scragging around on the mat soon got it screeching again and in trying to favor this hurt a little he may have lost chances that otherwise would have been taken advantage of.

Preceding the match between Beell and Rooney there was a catch-as-catch-can go between Griffin and Muellebach of Marshfield, two youngsters who put up quite an interesting exhibition. This was won by Muellebach.

Charles Podawiltz acted as referee and his decisions were fair and apparently satisfactory to everybody. Wm. Petzold acted as timekeeper.

Notice.

We have disposed of our business to J. R. Ragan formerly of Hurley, Wis. Mr. Ragan has had many years experience in the furniture business and is a practical undertaker and embalmer and we can recommend him as such.

Geo. W. Baker, Jr., will continue in the employ of Mr. Ragan. Parties wishing to settle their accounts with us can call and pay at the store the same as in the past. Thanking our many friends for their kind patronage in the past we are,

Very Truly Yours
Geo. W. Baker & Son.

The following testimonial was received from Mr. John W. Young, an old soldier and highly respected citizen of Lincoln, Ill., who says, "I had a severe cough and cold and I decided to get some kind of medicine. I purchased a bottle of Harts' Honey and Horchound, and am pleased to say I am now well. I advise anyone suffering from throat or lung affections to use this valuable remedy, I cannot recommend it too highly." Sold by Sam Church, druggist.

CALUMET Baking Powder

Food prepared with Calumet Baking Powder is pure and healthful, and is free from Rochelle salts, alum, lime and ammonia. A wonderful powder of unequalled strength.

Trust Baking Powders sell for 45 or 50 cents per pound and may be identified by this exorbitant price. They are a menace to public health, as food prepared from them contains large quantities of Rochelle salts, a dangerous cathartic drug.

DECORATION DAY

will soon be here and it would be well to decorate yourselves with a fine new Suit of Clothes from the well selected stock of High-grade Clothing at Kruger and Warner's. Their stock is replenished every few weeks with the new things as they come into market. It can well be said, of this store that it is

"Fashions First Landing Place"

The proprietors are thoroughly alive and awake to the needs of the people and keep their stock always in readiness for the most shrewd, economical and stylish dressers. After selecting your suit you are sure to find everything to finish out your attire to be in the height of fashion. A fine fancy or plain lace front white Shirt from \$2.00 down to 50c each, as you may choose, each grade of which are guaranteed as good if not superior to any at the price.

A stylish Hat of which they always have a fine selection. It is much easier to select the right thing if you get into the right place

Shows, White and Fancy Vests, Neckwear Suspenders, Fine Underwear, Union Suits, from \$3.00 down to \$1.00 a Suit. Two piece Suits from \$1.00 down to 25c, if you wish. See our fine line of Manilla, Panama, and Straw Hats from \$7.50 down to 50c each. All the newest shapes direct from the east.

All we ask of you is to get into the right place before you buy, and well you know where that is. Come right along we will welcome you any time.

Yours for business,

Kruger & Warner

CLOTHIERS AND FURNISHERS

Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.



REID BROTHERS' CLOTHING CO.

WANTED HIS FRIEND'S WIFE.

Veendum Man Arrested on Serious Charge at Babcock.

Charles W. Funk was arrested at Babcock on Friday by the sheriff and brought to this city, the charge against him being adultery, brought by Charles Rehal, who claims that Funk was making way with his wife.

The story told by Rehal is to the effect that Funk had been stopping at his house, having been befriended by Rehal, and during this time he had succeeded in winning the affections of Mrs. Rehal, the last named being residents of Veendum in the town of Dexter.

Rehal claims that Funk induced his wife to leave home on Thursday and that they stopped one night at Dexter, after which they separated. Mrs. Rehal going south while Funk came to this city over the Green Bay and took the St. Paul with the evident intention of meeting Mrs. Rehal at some point further south.

When arrested he was on the train at Babcock. He was taken before Justice Cooper on Saturday for a hearing and took adjournment until Thursday, the 21st instant.

Notice of Dissolution

The partnership that heretofore existed between M. Peterson and J. Rasmussen is this day dissolved and this method is taken to apprise the public of the fact. I will not be responsible for any contracts or guarantees made by Mr. Rasmussen, and the public is warned to govern themselves accordingly.

M. PETERSON.

Grand Rapids, Wis., May 18, 1903.

An Old Friend Weds.

The following from the Berkeley, Cal. Daily Gazette, tell of the marriage of one of our old and respected citizens:

"On Wednesday, May 6, Dr. George F. Witter Sr. and Mrs. Emma R. Loveland of Redwood City were married at the residence of his son, Willis G. Witter, 2501 Durant avenue, this city.

"Rev. George B. Hatch of the First Congregational church performed the ceremony. There were present only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. Willis G. Witter and wife, and Geo. F. Witter Jr. and wife of Oakland. Immediately after the event Dr. and Mrs. Witter departed for San Jose, where they will reside in the future.

"Dr. Witter is well known to many

French Naval Officer Has Devised an Antisubmarine Boat.

M. Tern, a French naval officer, has invented a boat which, he says, will neither pitch nor roll, and therefore will not cause seasickness. As the roll of a wave rarely lasts longer than ten seconds in a narrow sea like the Mediterranean and fifteen seconds in larger seas like the Atlantic his vessel would have to have a counter roll lasting twenty-two seconds.

The form of the vessel, says a writer in the New York Commercial Advertiser, might be described as a combination of submarine and platform, the latter rising high above the surface of the sea. In the submarine, 200 feet long, 75 feet broad and 12 feet deep, would be placed the boilers, engines and steering gear, which would be submerged to a depth of twelve feet. From the submarine would rise vertically two floats 200 feet long and ten feet broad, lying parallel at a distance of sixty-five feet from each other. Communication would be maintained by these floats between the submarine and the platform, containing a cabin at a height of thirty feet above the water.

This craft would have a displacement of 6,300 tons and would be propelled at a speed of nineteen knots an hour by engines of 16,000 horsepower.

LATEST CAR FENDER.

Safety of Pedestrians Seems Assured by a German's Invention.

An electric car fender on a new principle has been invented by a German and has been tried with success in Breslau, says the New York Evening Post. The apparatus consists of a sort of brush formed of twelve rows of rattan placed under the front platform. It requires no action whatever from the motorist.

In the tests a dead deer weighing fifty kilograms was experimented with and then a large dog. In each case the obstacle was placed first with the feet toward the car and then with the back, and the car was driven at it at all speeds and braked at the moment of collision.

The body of the deer was pushed for eight or nine meters. The legs were pushed up against the body, and the collision had no serious effect. In the first test made on the dog the animal was pushed four and one-half meters. The legs were pressed up against the body, but no injury resulted from the blow. In the second instance the dog was thrown 7.7 meters and turned over three times.

The body was then examined, but it could not be seen that it had suffered any injury or damage whatever in its general condition.

Odds and Ends of Science

Probably the oldest dyestuff known to men is indigo, says the Pittsburg Gazette. It might be too much to say that Noah's garments were colored with it, but it is hardly to be doubted that Joseph's coat of many colors owed at least a good part of its brilliancy to the use of this common article. Indigo has been found in the Egyptian pyramids, in the ruined cities of Babylon and in the shops and houses of Pompeii.

Fusibility of Alloys.

Alloys are usually more fusible than the least fusible metal contained, and they are almost always heavier or denser than the average of their uncombined constituents. A remarkable exception to both rules is an alloy of 18.57 per cent of aluminum and 81.43 per cent of antimony. Both metals melt at about 650 degrees C., while the alloy requires a heat of 1,050 degrees C., and the specific gravity of the latter is only 4.218 instead of 5.225, which it would be if there were no change of volume.

One Cure For Baldness.

Some cases of baldness can be cured by lactic acid. Dr. Balzer, in the Medical Times, recommends friction of the bald part daily with a 30 per cent solution of lactic acid until the skin becomes inflamed. The treatment is discontinued until the local irritation subsides, when it is begun again.

The Most Delicate Scale.

The most delicate scale is made by fixing one end of a fine thread of glass. The atom to be weighed is placed at the free end and the degree of the bending of the thread under it is noted. This has to be done under a glass which magnifies 100 times.

A French Soldier's Invention.

A device for suppressing sound and smoke has been provided for the ordinary rifle by a French soldier. It consists essentially of a steel tube about thirty inches long, with several partitions having orifices slightly larger than the bore of the gun, and this tube is attached in front of the muzzle by a bayonet clamp whenever its use is desired. On firing the gun the gases are retarded by each partition in turn, finally escaping without sound or smoke. With a knife at the end the auxiliary tube can be made to serve as a bayonet.

For the Removal of Tattoos.

Those who have been tattooed and who regret it may, says a writer in Cosmos, succeed in ridding themselves of these marks by the following process: Pour on the tattooed portion a concentrated solution of tannin, then by means of a needle analogous to that of the tattooer prick the surface and then rub hard with a nitrate of silver pencil. There is formed a slough which falls at the end of fourteen or eighteen days, and the operation leaves only a slight scar, which at the end of two months is invisible.

FARM GARDEN

RAPE AS A FORAGE CROP.

It Has High Feeding Value For Pasturing Sheep and Hogs.

Rape is much like the Swedish turnip in appearance, but the root is more like cabbage. The leaves are large and smooth, the flowers bright yellow, seed pods usually two inches long, with seed black and globular. The plant reaches a height of from one and a half to four feet, and the roots penetrate the soil to a considerable depth.

The rape most used in America is of the winter or biennial variety. Dwarf Essex or English is the most widely cultivated. Dwarf Victoria has recently given excellent results in New England and the northwest. In this country rape is grown almost exclusively for selling and summer and winter pasturage.

Rape is best adapted to rather cool, moist climates, such as prevail in portions of Canada and the northern United States. It can, however, be successfully grown as a forage crop in many of the warmer and drier sections.

In the northern states the biennial rape will not survive the winter, hence does not produce seed. In the south it may be grown as a fall or winter forage. The annual varieties used for the production of oil form seed the first year, but these kinds are not suitable for forage.

In favorable seasons or with a small amount of irrigation excellent crops of rape are grown in Wyoming, Montana, the Dakotas and other states in the so-called semiarid region, and many instances are on record where good crops have been produced without irrigation under conditions of drought so severe as to cause the failure of corn and other farm crops. In the middle south rape cannot compete with crimson clover for forage.

Throughout the northern states generally seedling may take place from the first week in May to the middle or last of July, according to the season and locality. In the south the seed may be sown in September or early in October. Under favorable conditions two to three pounds of seed per acre will be sufficient, and it will never be necessary to use more than five pounds per acre.—A. S. Hitchcock.

Box For Tying Wool.

The accompanying illustration will give an idea of a tying box sketched by an American Agriculturist writer: It

is made of inch lumber. The boards A A are hinged to a central board of the same width and swing up and hook to a head block C, after wool is laid on table. B is, of leather twelve inches wide, with slits to allow for tying. This leather is a foot longer than the bottom board and has a bar in end and a chain which is brought over and hooked on the hook in lever D. This gives greater leverage, and the notches in leg of horn hold it.

The Hen the American Bird.

The hen is a sweet tempered, hard working, productive creature. She is identified with our home life and our domestic and national prosperity. She lays \$29,000,000 worth of eggs every year, or four and a fraction eggs for each individual in the land. When the eagle is loading around waiting to steal something to eat, the modest hen is attending to business, and after a life of activity, laying eggs, cackling, laying more eggs and hatching little chicks, she gives up her life that the American boarding house may thrive and wax fat.

A Practical Weed War.

In Canada they begin at the beginning in the eradication of weeds. Dr. Fletcher tells that in the schools of Manitoba the children are taught to know and name the thirty commonest weeds on their fathers' farms and tell whether they are yearly, two year or many year plants.

Things That Are Said.

The southern farmer's garden is often located out in the field somewhere beyond the range of the chickens. Brer Rabbit first suggested this method, and Satan suggested it to Brer Rabbit.

The farmer who raises hogs to the full capacity of his farm will prosper if he sells nothing but hogs.

The sheep man has plenty of time for reflection. It is a business that doesn't work a man to death.

The future belongs to the laboring man.

The genuine attar of roses, like the best olive oil, will freeze, affording proof of its purity.

People Who Say Little and Drink Less "Get There" Offense.

"Help me to catch him, mister," said the small boy as he dashed by in pursuing pursuit of his juvenile enemy.

"Keep your mouth shut, and you'll catch him," advised the man, and the boy understood in an instant and, understanding, closed his mouth and ran on, easily running down the object of his pursuit, who had been running open mouthed and was soon doubled up with a stitch in his side.

There is a good deal in keeping your mouth shut. There are more people in the world who never open a mouth without putting a foot in it than you have any idea of. You may be a fool, but if you keep your mouth shut who's to know it? Generally you can size up the fellows who'll get there, are getting there or have got there by the way their lower jaw hangs. You may occasionally meet a wise man wandering around with his mouth open, but not as a usual thing.

It's what people say and drink chiefly that cause them to appear before the police magistrate. If they had kept their mouths shut, they would not have said it or drunk it. More foolish fish are caught with hooks in the mouth than through the tail. The fellow who goes around with his mouth open may catch a few flies in the aperture, but he isn't likely to catch anything very valuable that way. It's the fellow who sets his teeth and consequently shuts his mouth who gets there.—Toronto Star.

The Cipher.

It has not been definitely established that zero was in use any earlier than 400 A. D. About this time it was used in India, and several centuries later the Arabs began to employ it. Through the Arabs its use became known to Europeans during the twelfth century. It was not generally adopted in Europe until several centuries later, notwithstanding its great advantages. For a considerable time there were two parties among the European educators. One party, known as the algorists, favored the adoption of the Hindoo system of notation (falsely called Arabic), with its position values, while the other, known as the abacists, favored the Roman notation, without zero or position value.

The general adoption of the Hindoo system was greatly facilitated by the fact that it was explained in most of the calendars for more than a century, beginning with 1300, and that the medieval universities frequently offered courses devoted to the use of this notation.—G. A. Miller in Science.

The Artist and the Woman.

Every actress is sensitively alive to the pleasure of a warm reception—that being the technical term for the applause with which the audience greets the first appearance of an artist before any word has been spoken. Generally speaking, it signifies a courteous greeting corresponding to a lifted hat and pleasant salutation. But on occasions when the actress is a special favorite the reception, enthusiastic and long continued, becomes a demonstration which is inartistic and destructive of the illusion of the play, since it drags the actress out of her part and in her bowing, curtsying and smiling she becomes Miss Jones or Miss Morris returning thanks to the public. A woman would not be human who did not enjoy to the last drop of her blood just such a greeting, even though her artistic sense condemned it.—McClure's.

Animals Are Sensitive.

"The fact that a horse is sensitive to ridicule," said a student of the biological department of the University of Pennsylvania, "may easily be demonstrated. Take, for instance, the case of a horse that is eating out of a nosebag. If you stand in front of such a horse, attract his attention, and then, with loud laughter, mock his way of feeding, he will stop, with a look of embarrassment and shame, and he will not resume his meal until you are gone away."

"Dogs also object to being laughed at. Make fun of them and they will cease whatever they are doing. It is only when they are in a fight that they will remain impervious to the shafts of mockery."—Philadelphia Post.

The Human Body.

A pupil in a village school who had been requested to write an essay on the human body headed it the following: "The human body consists of the head, thorax, abdomen and legs. The head contains the brains, in case there are any. The thorax contains the heart and lungs; also the liver and lights. The abdomen contains the bowels, of which there are five—a, c, l, o, u and sometimes w and y. The legs extend from the abdomen to the floor and have hinges at the top and middle to enable a fellow to sit when standing or to stand when sitting."

Will Cure Consumption.

A. A. Herren of Finch, Ark., writes "Foley's Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs, colds, and lung trouble. I know that it has cured consumption in the first stages." Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

Everybody Interested in the Administration.

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THE RAM FEAST.

In Morocco the strange season of the Mohammedan new year, beginning March 9, is generally called "Al-el-Hanwala," the ram feast. The people of Morocco pay more elaborate attention to the item of sacrifice than any other Moslems. In every town a supreme offering of a ram or he goat takes place at the door of the principal mosque. Immediately after it is struck by the official imam in presence of the multitude it is flung on the shoulders of a stalwart Moor, who, exerting his utmost strength, runs like a deer through the narrow streets, pursued by a rabble. The poor animal is pelted with stones by boys and is jeered at with execrations from every house, as it is reputed to be carrying the sins of the people. The man rushes along with his burden till he reaches the door of the cult's palace. If the animal is still breathing, the augury is excellent, for good luck is to be expected all through the year. But if the ram is dead all sorts of evil prognostications are muttered.

The Charitable Americans.

The Americans are looked upon by the peoples of Europe as the most wasteful persons in the world, and they do spend their money with a freedom unknown elsewhere because they have the money to spend. But with all their apparent carelessness there is no country in the world nor is there record of any in which the people devote so much to the welfare of the unfortunate and the wretched. The practice has become a habit and is looked upon rightly enough as an obligation. No one can free himself from it. Every one has a neighbor somewhere, and he will not fulfill his obligation merely by denying himself of some luxury or pleasure unless the self denial benefits his unfortunate neighbor.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Maud—Last night Jack told me

that he wouldn't marry the best girl living, unless—what—unless she took Rocky Mountain Tea. Sensible fellow. 35 cents. Johnson & Hill Co.

The Amphitheatre donated to the

University of California by William Randolph Hearst, in which President Roosevelt will speak when he goes to Berkeley, seems to be a superb gift. As everybody knows, Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst, the mother of Representative Hearst, has given one million dollars to the University of California, and is devoting her time to the supervising of plans and details in the development of this great institution. Mrs. Hearst, by the way, is the only woman Regent in the United States. Mr. Hearst's Amphitheatre is modeled after those of the ancient Greeks. It will cost one hundred thousand dollars when completed. It will contain nine sections of seats, each section to have more than twenty tiers. They will be on a steep incline and will seat eight thousand persons. Around the top a broad walk will furnish standing room for two thousand more persons. Below the tiers seats will be a platform level with the stage provided with seats. The Amphitheatre will accommodate in all fourteen thousand persons.

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BRIEF CITY ITEMS

Couldn't Stand Prosperity.—Joe Gardner, who had been spending a thirty day term in the county jail for assault and battery, was released last Thursday, but acquiring another jag on Friday he was arrested again. As his reformation had not been as complete as a sentence in jail is supposed to work in such cases he was invited to make tracks for another part of the country, which he did. While Joe had been in jail he had been sober and being industrious while sober he had continued to work at his trade of tailor, and the result was he came out at the end of the thirty days with quite a bunch of money, a new suit of clothes, and as he expressed it "The best dressed man in Grand Rapids." Upon his release, however, one of the first things he did was to sell his new suit and proceed to turn the money into whiskey, and the consequence was that Joe left town looking much the same as he did when he came.

Base Ball at the Point.—The home team played a game of ball at Stevens Point on Sunday which resulted in a score of 7 to 7 at the close of the eighth inning, at which time there was a slight difference of opinion between the umpire and the home boys which resulted in the discontinuance of the game. The boys state that they got the worst of the deal all the way thru and on account of rank decision left the field three times, the last time settling the matter. The boys state that the decisions of the umpire were probably the result of ignorance of the rules on the game rather than viciousness of his part. The Stevens Point team plays here next Sunday, when the home boys promise to put up a game that will keep the visitors guessing all the way thru.

A Nice Entertainment.—The musicale given by the school children on Friday evening under the supervision of Miss Reeves was a most enjoyable affair from start to finish, and illustrated very forcibly what can be accomplished in music in the public schools. Those who attended the entertainment last year and also the one last Friday night were able to notice remarkable improvement in the work done by the pupils. The piece in Brownie costume was probably the one most appreciated by the greater part of the audience and the little ones seemed to enter into the spirit of the affair with great gusto. The opera house was filled to the doors with the audience that assembled.

County Training School.—M. H. Jackson of Columbus has been engaged as principal of the county training school at a salary of \$1800 per annum. Mr. Jackson has been superintendent of schools at Columbus and is an experienced man and considered to be thoroughly competent to handle the matter properly. The officers of the new training school are as follows: E. P. Arpin, president; W. D. Connor of Marshfield, treasurer; and Robert Morris, county superintendent, secretary. The school will begin operations this fall at the opening of the school year.

Planting Pike.—The fish car Badger was in the city on Thursday and unloaded nine cans of pike fry for parties in this city. The fish were planted at different points along the Wisconsin river. With the number of fry that are planted in the river and with those that were bred there by natural means it would seem as if there would be an abundance of fish to satisfy the most fastidious angler. It is probable that if those who indulge in illegal fishing were restrained there would be a considerable increase in the number of fish caught by anglers.

Body Found.—The body of Genevieve Ridgman was found floating in the river in Saturday afternoon about half a mile below the Northwestern railroad bridge. A constant watch had been kept along the river and it is probable that the body had been floating only a short time when it was discovered. The remains were interred the same evening and a large cortege of friends followed to the cemetery. On Sunday funeral services were held at the Methodist church, Rev. W. A. Peterson officiating.

Broke a Pump.—One of the pumps at the pumping station broke down on Friday, wrecking one of the gear wheels and doing some other damage. Engineer Pfeiffer says the trouble was probably caused by a cog breaking from one of the gear wheels and getting between the wheels. Luckily one of the workmen were present at the time and stopped the motor at once so that no further damage was done. The cost of repairs will probably be about seventy-five dollars.

Work on the Bridge.—The bridge builders have been making pretty good progress on the reconstruction of the bridge in spite of the fact that they have been hampered with high water, numerous rains, a swift current and almost continuous heavy winds. The false work has been about completed under the east half of the bridge and is being carried forward as rapidly as possible.

Negro Got 18 Months.—James Sublett, the negro bootblack from Marshfield, who was found guilty last week of assault with intent to kill, was on Tuesday sentenced to 18 months in the state prison. This length of time will probably give the young fellow a chance to decide that it is not a good idea to go a wooing with a revolver.

Failed to Score.—The track team of the Howe high school went to

Appleton on Saturday to take part in the meet that was held in that city. The local team failed to score a point in the events. Weston was first. The team contains some fairly good material this year but the boys do not seem to be getting down to business in proper shape.

Dedication of High School.—The new high school dedication has been set for the 26th of May. It is proposed to have appropriate ceremonies for the occasion and a number of speakers will be in attendance to give the new building a proper send-off.

Marriage Licenses.—The following marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk during the past week: Theodore Gardner of Wausau to Rose Heindl of Grand Rapids. R. J. Pelley of Baraboo to Lulu Waterman of Nekeosa.

Chapel Car Meetings.

The meetings at the Chapel car at the Wisconsin Central depot are continuing and interest is growing. Last week a special spur track was built for the car and it makes a very comfortable meeting place. Crowds were turned away Sunday evening. Rev. C. H. Rust, the manager and preacher, says that he hopes to have a larger place for the meeting next Sunday evening. There will be meetings every night this week in the car. This is but one of six cars sent out by the Baptists of this country.

The Baptist churches make a large and influential body of christians, numbering about four and one-half million in the United States.

Meetings will not continue every night next week, but on Wednesday night, May 27th, there will be a meeting for the public in the Chapel car. Mr. Rust announces that the nature of this meeting will be an inquiry into the belief of the Baptist church. He would like to have people send in any questions concerning the Baptist church which they would like to. On Friday evening, May 29th, Rev. D. W. Hulbert, the secretary of the Wis. State Baptist convention will be here and take charge of a meeting looking toward the organization of a Baptist church in Grand Rapids.

Blue Rock Scores.

The following scores were made by the members of the gun club on Sunday:

First event—Mosher 23, Drumb 22, C. Boles 3, Mason 18, Scott 20, Nash 22, Conway 13, Church 16.
Second event—Mosher 21, Drumb 22, Mason 15, Scott 21, Nash 12.
Third event—Nash 19, Scott 21, Mosher 24, Mason 20.
A number also got out the previous Friday and made some pretty good scores, they being as follows:
First event—J. C. Marsh 22, Brown 23, Mason 19, Nash 17, Scott 21, Dr. Harvey 20, Conway 15.
Second event—Marsh 20, Brown 22, Mason 21, Nash 19, Scott 22, Harvey 20, Conway 13.
Third event—Marsh 25, Brown 22, Mason 23, Nash 21, Scott 25, Conway 17.

The Event of the Season.

Hi Henry's Big Minstrel on May 22nd. Fifty all white. Suberb military band, big St. Bernard dog, valued at \$5,000, new latest locomobile, will take the streets at noon on Friday, May 22 and herald the appearance of this Big Double City show at the opera house on Friday night. A fine evening concert of classic music will precede the performance. Seats now on sale, special prices 25, 35 and 50 cts, a few choice seats 75 cts.

Attention Ladies.

Free illustrated lecturer to ladies at G. A. R. Hall, East Grand Rapids, at 3 p. m. Friday, Saturday and Monday May 22, 23 and 25 by Mrs. Pearson of the Wisconsin Viatic Co., Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Subjects, "Woman," "Nerves," "Girls." Ladies may see Mrs. Pearson afterwards at Mrs. M. J. Belanger's, East Side.

Traveling is Dangerous.

Constant motion jars the kidneys which are kept in place in the body by delicate attachments. This is the reason that travelers, trainmen, street car men, teamsters and all who drive very much, suffer from kidney disease in some form. Foley's Kidney Cure strengthens the kidneys and cures all forms of kidney and bladder disease. Geo. E. Hansen, locomotive engineer, Lima, O., writes, "Constant vibration of the engine caused me a great deal of trouble with my kidneys, and I got no relief until I used Foley's Kidney Cure." Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

Unclaimed Letters.

East Side: W. J. Brisbane, H. E. Davis, Jorgen Halvorsen, A. Jacobs, Nelson Marcan, John Pospisical, C. S. Ray, Paul Rusostz, Alroy Schile, John Wackler, Mrs. S. W. Delaney, Mrs. J. Kilday, Mrs. Emma Kaylor, Flora Kock, Louisa, Langer, Louise Lokloske.

Mr. C. L. Hizer, of Lincoln, Ill., says: "I have been a sufferer from constipation for the past twelve years, with severe griping pains in my bowels nearly every day. Since I began taking R-50 Tonic Laxative my bowels have moved freely without griping. I am certainly a wonderful laxative." Sold by Sam Church, druggist.

Congregational Church.

Rev. Shaw's subject next Sunday morning at the First Congregational Church will be "The difficulty of the Christian Life." Evening "Baccalaureate Sermon."

No Loss of Time.

I have sold Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for years, and would rather be out of coffee and sugar than it. I sold five bottles of it yesterday to threshers that could go no farther, and they are at work this morning.—H. K. Phelps, Plymouth, Oklahoma. As will be seen by the above the threshers were able to keep on with their work without losing a single day's time. You should keep a bottle of this Remedy in your home. For sale by Johnson & Hill Co. and Wood County Drug Co.

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ADVERTISEMENTS will be published in this column at the rate of 5 cents per line, in ad taken for less than 10 cents. If you want to buy, sell or trade anything, try the want column.

FOR RENT.—Furnished rooms. Mrs. Collier, West side.

FOR SALE.—The old Congregational church property will be vacated on June 1st by the school department, at which time it will be for sale; also have an outfit of stoves, consisting of heating stoves and ranges; also Emmering pony and harness. Inquire of E. P. Arpin.

MONEY TO LOAN.—C. E. Boles.

FOR SALE.—Forty building lots in first ward from \$75 to \$150. Also good ten room dwelling and lot 50x120. E. L. Philine.

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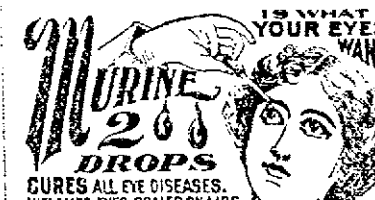
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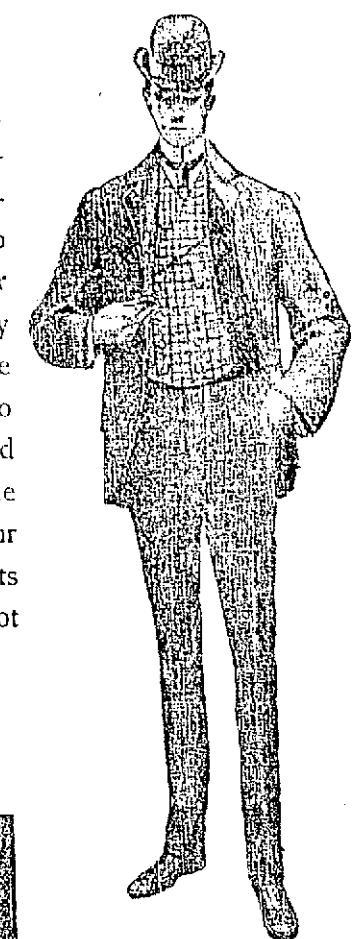
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SHORT LOCALS

—Hi Henry's Big City Minstrels May 22.

Charles Dixon made a business trip to Wausau on Friday.

Miss Kate Smith spent Sunday with her parents at Nekeosa.

J. E. Ingraham of Babcock was in the city on Tuesday on business.

Chas. Ecklund is in Dakota for a few weeks looking over the country.

Miss Kate Tucker of Nekeosa was the guest of friends here over Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Laramie visited relatives and friends in Marshfield last week.

Mrs. James Chamberlain is seriously ill, being threatened with typhoid fever.

John Andrew was called to Babcock on Saturday by the sickness of his brother.

The town of Grand Rapids has purchased a new Austin & Western road machine.

Postmaster John Cole of Marshfield was in the city last Thursday on legal business.

L. M. Nash made a business trip to Milwaukee last week, returning home on Friday.

T. A. Lipke left on Tuesday on a business to Rhinelanders expecting to return today.

The Adam Forepaugh—Sells Bros. consolidated circus will show in Wausau June 29th.

—Great discount on watches and chains at Hitz, the jeweler for the next ten days.

Mrs. I. Baruch went to Merrill on Sunday to visit with relatives, returning on Monday.

Attorney A. E. Gerner of Dexter-ville was in the city to attend the tax sale on Tuesday.

A brand new baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Koskita on Friday.

A. H. Dustin visited friends in Stevens Point a few days the latter part of last week.

C. O. Baker of Milwaukee was in the city on Tuesday to attend the tax sale and visit friends.

W. C. McGlyn has removed his family to this city from Pittsville and will reside on the east side.

The Elks and K. Ps will hold one of their social hops at their hall on Thursday evening, May 21st.

Abner Whitman, and Ernest Hall went to Stevens Point on Tuesday to attend the funeral of C. A. Hall.

Channey Arnold and son Willis of Marshfield were in the city on Tuesday in attendance at the tax sale.

J. McCarthy & Co. have installed a three horsepower electric motor in their meatmarket on the west side.

Mrs. Frank Sheehan of Portage has been in the city the past week visiting with relatives and friends.

James Nash and Geo. Corriveau were down from Glidden over Sunday to visit their relatives and friends.

Mrs. John A. Gaynor left this noon for Madison, expecting to be absent until Monday visiting with friends.

Mrs. H. Vout of Milwaukee, who had been in the city several days on business, returned home on Friday.

William Scott came down from Port Arthur on Friday to spend a few days with his family in this city.

Clarence Demars of Stevens Point spent Saturday and Sunday in this city and Port Edwards visiting friends.

John L. Voelker of Marshfield was in the city today attending a meeting of the county committee on printing.

C. H. Wood, oil inspector for this district, made a trip to Marshfield on Tuesday in the discharge of his duties.

Miss Olivia Hahn of Marshfield was in the city a few days the latter part of last week visiting friends and relatives.

Rev. George Gibson has been quite sick the past week with erysipelas but his many friends hope for an early recovery.

Officer James Gibson has been laid up for several days the past week and his place has been filled by Joseph Vincent.

—The most wonderful acrobats in the world, the Renzetta Troupe, with Hi Henry Minstrels at the Opera House on Friday, May 22d.

Burt Furrer, who has resided at Nekeosa for some time past, removed his family to this city the past week and will reside here.

Sydney Denis returned last week from Marshfield where he had been assisting in the drug store of Sexton Bros. for two weeks.

George LeBreche has taken the local agency for the Ruder Brewing company of Wausau, John Hannum having resigned.

The Masons of Merrill are going to build a temple in that city to cost \$12,000. The first floor will be a double store with basement.

Addie, the nine-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chrystal of Saratoga, died on Sunday. The funeral was held on Tuesday.

Mrs. Bertin Ramsay of Appleton has been the guest of Mrs. F. MacKinnon the past week. Mr. Rimsy was also up to spend Sunday.

St. Catherine's Guild meets next Friday at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Geo. E. Hoskinson. All members of the guild are requested to be present.

—Don't fail to look over the handsome display of watches and chains which A. P. Hirzy has on hand and which he is selling at a great discount.

—If you are looking for work in the line of painting, paperhanging and decorating, you should consult Laramie & Guthrie, two artists in their profession.

Probable visitors of song duets, with Hi Henry's Minstrels, who appear at the Opera House on Friday, May 22d.

D. J. Argyle left on Tuesday for the Nekeosa River country to look after his lumbering interest. William Scott also returned to the north with Mr. Argyle.

Invitations are out for a linen shower for Miss Nellie Young of Nekeosa to take place next Friday evening at the home of Miss Gertrude Gaynor.

—Corrigan and Dove dancing comedians with Hi Henry's Minstrels are the best in their line and they are funny too. At the Opera House Friday, May 22d.

P. W. Kern has rented a residence from D. B. Philles on the east side and expects to remove his family to this city from Stevens Point some time next week.

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Miss Edith Rablin left on Tuesday for Marshfield to attend a session of librarians in that city. Matters pertaining to libraries and traveling libraries will be discussed by those present.

The juryman assembled at the court house Monday morning to continue their duties, but as all the cases requiring a jury had been disposed of they were discharged and returned to their respective homes.

Miss Viola Garrison returned on Sunday from Chicago, where she has been visiting with friends for several weeks. She was accompanied here by Miss Jane Durell who will visit her friends in this city for a time.

George Ayshford, who was confined in the hospital for the insane at Oshkosh, died on Saturday. He had been a helpless invalid for a number of years. The remains were brought to this city and interred on Monday.

J. R. Ragan the new furniture man, took charge of the Baker premises on Monday morning and is now in full swing. Mr. Ragan is an old furniture man and undertaker and will no doubt be able to supply the demands of the trade in his line.

Excursion rates to I. O. O. F. Grand lodge, Eau Claire, Wis., via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates June 1, 2 and 3 limited for return until June 6, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Mead, Mrs. Geo. W. Paulus, Misses Edith Nash, Floy Philles, Ella Hasbrouck, Kate Andrews, Guy Nash and James Nash spent Saturday at Birch Lodge near Nekeosa where a very pleasant time was had.

The members of the Historical and Literary society will hold a reception on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fontaine on Friday evening. A number of friends of the members will also be present. It will be in honor of Miss Floy Philles.

G. T. Tristram, the new dentist who has located over the postoffice on the west side, is gradually getting his fixtures into shape and will soon be ready for business in his line. His business card will be found among the professional men in another column.

Dr. F. D. Humphrey, who has spent the past month in the city of New York taking a post graduate course, returned to his home in this city on Tuesday. The doctor reports himself as greatly pleased with his labors while away and considers that his time was well spent.

At a speech before an audience at San Jose, Cal., on Tuesday President Roosevelt made the statement that the United States would soon rule the Pacific. A good many had been laboring under the impression that we already run things about to suit us on that body of water.

Grant Babcock, who is employed at North Fond du Lac by the Wisconsin Central Company, came to this city the fore part of the week and has been engaged in getting his household goods in readiness for moving. He expects to remove his family to North Fond du Lac the latter part of the week.

L. H. LeBreche, violin, L. J. Peyruse, mandolin, J. Robinson, harp guitar, and D. L. Ellis, cello, of Grand Rapids, comprising the "Big Four Orchestra," are making music better than "mother used to make." They are out for a tour of the state and are making a specialty of dance music.—Wausau Record.

Professors Sandsten and Whitson of the University of Wisconsin arrived in the city on Monday evening. These two gentlemen are going to carry on the experiments on the cranberry marshes for which an appropriation was recently made by the state. Their investigations will be made in the vicinity of Cranmoor.

"Bud" Harkins, of Marshfield, who has been in Alaska for the past several years, was drowned Sunday in the White Horse Rapids on the Youkou. The body will be brought back to Marshfield for burial. Mr. Harkins had several productive mines in that country and his industry and business foresight had been well rewarded.

The town of Almond, Portage county has made an application to Judge Webb for the appointment of commissioners to review the assessment of that county. It is understood that there are a number of other towns dissatisfied with the equalization made by the county board. The commissioners must be appointed from outside the county.

Hi Henry's Big City Minstrels, who fill a spare date Friday, May 22nd, at the opera house is now the largest minstrel show in the world, the same identical company that recently appeared in New York City, Boston, and they come direct from Eau Claire en route to Wausau, stopping here in order to interchange their special train in which they travel.

the pay of the chaplains from \$25 to \$50 a week. Many devoted to his time prayers is shown away. We know that this will shock a good many good people but it will not shock the Methodist clergyman, who here had a better chance than the other good people to observe just what effect their prayers have had.—Milwaukee Free Press.

Cashier Edward L. Reese, of the First National bank of Marshfield, was in the city on Tuesday for a few hours, during which he favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call. Mr. Reese had been subpoenaed as witness in a lawsuit, but when he got here discovered that the matter had been settled out of court without anything being said to him, so that his trip was for nothing.

Excursions rates to interscholastic athletic meet at Madison, Wis., via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates for trains reaching Madison after 12:00 o'clock noon of Thursday, May 28, all day May 29 and for trains arriving at Madison not later than 1:30 p. m. on Saturday, May 30, limited to return until June 2, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Three of the state senators were on the verge of resigning last week because the assembly failed to look in the same light at a bill that had been passed by the senate, and turned the measure down. But before they had got their resignation handed in they changed their minds and decided to stay with the big show. Probably they came to a realization of the fact that nobody would have cared a cuss if they had resigned, which of course took all the fun out of it.

A Birthday Party.
Mr. and Mrs. F. MacKinnon on Tuesday evening entertained a large number of relatives and a few friends at a party given in honor of Mr. MacKinnon's birthday. After cards followed the reading of an original and beautiful poem by Mrs. Geo. Gibson which brot tears the eyes of many of the guests, next came the presentation of gifts unique and appropriate to the occasion. Mr. MacKinnon was greatly surprised and entirely unprepared for such a demonstration but he bore himself manfully and responded in a neat and graceful manner altho visibly affected. Later on the company proceeded to the dining room where refreshments were served. The "piece de resistance" a cake of massive proportions and decorated with the requisite number of candles occupying the center of the table, was much admired. It was a

confectionery. At 12 o'clock the guests departed with many good wishes, and happy returns of the day to their hosts and hostesses.

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Indianapolis, Ind., June 17th to 24th, Modern Woodmen of America.
Boston, July 6th to 19th, National Educational Association.
Saratoga Springs, N. Y., July 7th to 10th, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.
Denver, July 9th to 13th, United Christian Endeavor.
Detroit, Mich., July 16th to 19th, Epworth League.
Baltimore, Md., July 21st to 23d, B. P. O. E.
San Francisco, August 17th to 22d, G. A. R. meeting.
Baltimore, Md., Sept. 21st to 26th, Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.
For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon the ticket agent of the North-Western Line.

Arrested for Burglary.
Joseph Legendre was brought to this city from Babcock on Monday and placed in jail there being a charge against him of burglary, preferred by E. Lombard of Babcock.

Legendre is charged with having entered three saloons at Babcock and stole some money and a quantity of cigars. He is said to have had an accomplice, who is still at large.

Bryan's View on Immortality.
The February National Magazine reprints from a new book, "The Proofs of Life After Death," this expression of the views of William Jennings Bryan on immortality:

"I shall not believe that this life is extinguished. If the father designs to touch with divine power the cold and pulseless heart of the buried acorn, and makes it burst forth from its prison walls, will He leave neglected in the earth the soul of man, who was made in the image of his creator? If He stoops to give to the rosebud, whose withered blossoms float upon the breeze, the sweet assurance of an other springtime, will He withhold the words of hope from the sons of men when the frosts of winter come? If matter, mute and inanimate, though changed by the forces of nature into a multitude of forms, can never die, will the imperial Spirit of

English Brass.
The composition of English brass is about seventy parts of copper and thirty of zinc. "Prince Rupert's metal" contains 75 to 80 per cent of copper and on account of its golden color is employed to some extent in jewelry.

The kind of brass called tombac contains still more copper, nearly eighty-five parts in a hundred. It is the alloy used for the manufacture of what is called Dutch metal, an imitation of gold leaf. It can be rolled into sheets, and these can be beaten out till they are only fifty-three thousandths of an inch in thickness.—Chambers' Journal.

Two Sides to It.
Wife—It's hateful of you not to give me the bonnet I want. Ah, me! If you only knew how much I have to put up with!

Husband—Huh! If you only knew how little I have to put up with, you wouldn't ask me to put up for a bonnet. —Philadelphia Press.

A Versifier.
Scribbler—Would you call yourself a poet or simply a versifier?
Scrawler—Well, when the editor lights his pipe with my stuff it's a case of verse afore.—Philadelphia Record.

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Mr. Lancaster's Double

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MR. LANCASTER was a man of simple tastes, and upon returning to the city after an absence of two years he took up his residence in a quiet boarding house. The house was commodious, well kept and in the highest degree respectable.

He was returning to the house just before dinner when he saw approaching him a rat eyed fellow of a very mean appearance, who immediately upon catching sight of Lancaster dodged into a nook beside some stone steps and proceeded to make queer and cautious gestures that were evidently meant for signals. It was perfectly plain that these could not be intended for any other eyes than Lancaster's, and the obvious inference was that the odious rascal mistook him for somebody else.

The incident was made the more peculiar by the fact that just as Lancaster came to his landlady's gate a man whose appearance was quite similar to the other's passed by with a hasty, shuffling step, and, without turning his head or even his glance in Lancaster's direction, as a human being who had a communication to make might have been expected to do, he whispered: "I suppose you saw Quirk up the street?"

He paused for no reply, but shuffled away before Lancaster could recover from his surprise.

Meditating upon this strange matter, Lancaster entered the little yard that is before the house and ascended the two broad stone steps that lead up to its portal. He was fumbling mechanically for his latchkey when the door was suddenly opened and a young woman in street costume came out. She moved with the quick grace of youth; she was a creature all alive, radiant and vivid, and she was so amazingly, stunningly beautiful that Lancaster forgot everything else in the world. He had been mistaken for some sort of objectionable character by two worthless rascals who were total strangers to him, but if they had been his most familiar associates and nearest blood relatives and had taken him for the horned devil in broad daylight he would not have given the matter a thought in the presence of this girl.

She started slightly at the sight of him, but was passing on toward the gate when he found his voice.

"Miss Harwood!" he called in a tone which betrayed the fact that he was making an experiment.

The young woman turned quickly. "I knew it must be you," he exclaimed, "though I hadn't seen you since you were a little girl. Of course you can't remember me—er—Lancaster—Harry Lancaster; you were only four years old."

"Indeed I remember you very well," said she, and instinctively she put her right hand up to the side of her face.

He marked the gesture, of which the girl was quite unconscious, and there was a sudden gleam in his gray eyes.

"So you remember that?" said he. "How lasting are the painful impressions of childhood! And they are foolishly supposed to be fleeting."

"It wouldn't have been particularly painful," she replied, "if you had been shaved, though I remember that I was very much afraid of you because you always seemed so melancholy. But that beard really hurt, and I made the welkin ring, as you no doubt recall. I wouldn't let my father kiss me for a month after that."

They both laughed at this memory of old days, but in Lancaster's heart there was a twinge of self reproach. It was nearly fourteen years since the beautiful child, now grown to womanhood, had been left an orphan, and, though she was the daughter of one of his best friends, Lancaster had never seen her in all that time. It flashed across his mind that in those years she might often have stood in need or in peril. It is true that she had been left sufficiently well provided for and in the care of relatives.

He felt guilty as he looked at her. So far as he was concerned, it was by pure chance that this priceless jewel had not been trampled upon by the frenzied selfishness that rushes through the highways of the world.

It appeared, however, that she had met with no great misfortune, and the small property left by her father was still sufficient for her needs. She sketched her life to him in the frankest way as he walked with her upon some small errand that had brought her from the house. She had been living in the city for several months and, with a widowed aunt, was dwelling beneath the same roof which Lancaster had chosen as his shelter. This was not an especially remarkable coincidence, as Mrs. Barclay, the landlady, was distantly connected with both the Harwood and Lancaster families.

It was a very pleasant little walk for Lancaster and was marred only by the fact that at the corner of the avenue two very dandy dressed men lifted their hats to Lancaster with a somewhat exaggerated courtesy. He did not respond to this salute, and neither of the men seemed to be in the slightest degree disturbed or even surprised by his failure to acknowledge their existence. He thought that he detected a rapid questioning look in Miss Harwood's eyes, and in response to it he said somewhat stiffly that he did not know either of the men and that they must have mistaken him for somebody else.

The girl said nothing in response to this assertion, and presently in the pleasure of her company Lancaster forgot the slender attentions to which he had been subjected. He was if the truth must be told, a man who most people thought unimpeachable with women and silent. In reality his heart was warm enough and his sympathies quick and acute, but he had had many misfortunes in early life, and they had left a mark upon him. He was of heavy frame and of a stern cast of countenance, and long continued grief at a certain period of his career had deeply lined his face. He usually carried his head somewhat bowed, with his eyes downcast and his expression suggestive of one who ponders deeply upon secret and unpleasant topics, but there were moments when his gray eyes would light up and the heavy lines of his face would soften, so that he might almost be called handsome.

It happened that there was a play at one of the theaters which Lancaster very much desired to see, and he happened to mention it to Miss Harwood. She had not seen the play, but had heard it praised, and the result of all



THE YOUNG WOMAN TURNED QUICKLY.

this was that the girl accepted Lancaster's invitation for herself and her aunt to see the performance.

This incident would not be important except for a strange thing which happened in connection with it.

The theater was not far from Mrs. Barclay's, and, as the evening was pleasant, both Grace and her aunt expressed a desire to walk. While the play was in progress, however, the weather changed, and when they came out of the theater it was beginning to rain.

Lancaster found a carriage, and they rode home. As they stopped before the door the rain began to fall in big drops, and Lancaster hurried the two ladies across the sidewalk to the door. When he turned back to pay the cabman, he was surprised to see the vehicle rapidly moving away. The man had not even asked for his fare.

It may have been a week after this when Lancaster met Mrs. Barclay in the hall of the boarding house as he was going out one evening. He took the old lady gently by the arm and led her into the parlor, which was deserted at that hour.

"Mrs. Barclay," said he, "I want to ask you a very serious question, and you must answer me with the exact truth. What have I done to offend Miss Harwood?"

"Have you offended her?" asked the old lady in a tone which revealed clearly that she knew all about the matter. "Both her and her aunt," said he, "and you must tell me how."

"Harry Lancaster," replied Mrs. Barclay, "I knew your father, and I've known you more or less ever since you were a little boy. I can't believe that there's any harm in one of your blood. But—but I'm afraid you weren't always careful enough about your associates. This big city is a terrible place and—"

"What in the world do you mean?" demanded Lancaster.

"Well," said Mrs. Barclay, taking a long breath as one does at the beginning of a disagreeable subject, "I can only tell what's been told to me. It seems that your acquaintances are not of a desirable kind. Men that one doesn't like to recognize bow to you on the street, and for a young girl like Grace Harwood to be seen with a man who seems to know every corner loafer—There, you mustn't be offended, yet I can't help telling you. Why, Grace's aunt told me that day before yesterday a most brazen creature with diamonds the size of an egg and bleached hair winked at you—winked knowingly—and waved her hand to you as if you were an old acquaintance."

"But, blessed heaven," exclaimed Lancaster, "I'm not responsible for what such creatures do! I can't prevent these people bowing to me. I have explained to Miss Harwood and her aunt that I am evidently being mistaken for some questionable character well known in this neighborhood."

Mrs. Barclay coughed gently behind her hand.

"Yes," said she, "I was told that you'd said something of the kind. Ah," she continued, "a young man can't be too careful of his associates!"

"Confound it!" interrupted Lancaster. "These people are not my associates. I never saw any of them before. But we won't discuss it. I'll get to the bottom of this mystery first, and I'll do it right away. I'll go out and prow around this quarter, and the first rascal that kotows to me will get the truth chucked out of him mighty quick. I

won't have such a disrespectful thing as this rascal besting me that has come to me in all my life!"

As often happens, there was great difficulty in finding an immediate which message it was always ready to appear. Lancaster walked the length of the street half a dozen times and not a living creature showed the smallest interest in him. At last he paused wearily upon a corner close by the stairs which led up to a station of the elevated road. He stood there in his customary attitude, his head bowed and his hands clasped behind him. Probably he remained in this position about ten minutes, when suddenly he felt something thrust into one of his hands. Instinctively his fingers closed upon it; then he turned about, but could not see who it was that had given him this unexpected token. Several men were hurrying by, and one of them, just disappearing up the stairs of the station, looked a little like the queer fellow who had made signals on the first day. The man ascended the stairs with great agility and disappeared from view.

Lancaster turned his gaze to the object which had been thrust into his hand. It was a plain envelope sealed tightly, but bearing no address. Lancaster tore it open and was amazed to find it contained five \$100 bills. There was no message whatever; the money was merely wrapped in a blank sheet of coarse paper.

Lancaster stared at it and slowly shook his head.

"This matter," thought he, "has gone entirely beyond me. It is clear that I am mistaken for the head of some extraordinary gang of thieves. This is my share of some recent plunder. I shall have to report this to the police."

He walked to the nearest station, and as he entered the building he saw the rat eyed fellow standing before the desk, between two uniformed officers. The sergeant behind the desk was leaning far over and talking with the trio.

"Obviously I am just in time," thought Lancaster. "They have got one of my gang under arrest, and it was the other, his pal, whom I saw run up the stairs of the 'L' road."

He approached the desk, and as he did so the sergeant, the two uniformed men and the evil eyed fellow between them stared as if he had been a ghost.

"For a week or more," said Lancaster, addressing the sergeant, "I have been subjected to a peculiar annoyance in this precinct. It is obvious that a gang of hand pirates operating hereabout have mistaken me for some person high up in their councils. Here is one result of it!"

And he displayed the envelope with the money. The sergeant stroked his chin.

"This is serious," he said, rising. "I guess you'd better talk to the captain."

He led the way to a private room. When the door was opened, Lancaster saw a heavily built man of forty standing by a window, his back toward the door. He was dressed in a plain brown sack suit, and in the first instant it did not occur to Lancaster that this could be the captain. The man did not turn as they entered. He still stood with his hands clasped behind his back and his head bent forward in the attitude of one who meditates upon secret and unpleasant topics.

Slowly he turned and faced Lancaster. The stub of a short cigar fell from



"WHO THE DEVIL IS THIS?"

his lips; his gray eyes opened wide; he raised one hand and passed it across his forehead.

"Who," he gasped—"who the devil is this?"

"I don't know," replied the sergeant, "but I could have made oath it was you when he walked into the station a minute ago."

The rest of the story needs no telling. It appeared immediately that the rat eyed man and his pal were precinct detectives, one of whom had delivered in his usual private manner a bill of mouey which had come in the regular way of business. Lancaster handed it to the captain and felt much cleaner: for being rid of it.

He was of course easily able to re-establish his reputation at Mrs. Barclay's and to clear himself of all suspicion in the eyes of Miss Harwood and her aunt. He found it best, however, to remove presently to a different quarter of the city. Indeed the captain himself suggested it, having called in a friendly manner for the purpose of making this request.

"It really won't do," said the officer, "to have two of us in one precinct. It makes people too blamed uneasy."



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NEKOOSA.

There was a controversy on Market street last Friday. H. E. Ostrom had sold a buggy to Elizabeth Loks of Armenia. A dispute arose as to the terms of payment and Mr. Ostrom had the local attorney make out papers to replevin the vehicle. This put Mr. Loks in an embarrassing position. It was left for him to choose whether he would settle the matter or walk home. After the use of a little common sense he decided to settle the matter and both departed happy. It would have been better still had they followed the proverb, "an ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure."

The Evangelical Lutheran school closed last Friday for this year. Rev. Frank Selie has had charge of the school. He left for Dale, Wisconsin, on Monday for a short visit. Mr. Selie will conduct a school of his denomination in the vicinity of District No. 3 in the Township of Port Edwards. The school will open Monday, May 24th, and both German and English will be taught.

R. M. Williams, the local photographer, is planning on making a tour thru central and northern Wisconsin. He intends to leave soon. The gallery will be closed and will not be opened until fall. Better take advantage of the opportunity while Mr. Williams is here and have your photos made to please. His late artistic productions are pictures of the local baseball team and an interior view.

The Nekoosa base ball team and a "somebody else" team played a game of ball on the local grounds last Sunday. The "somebody else" team is popularly known as the Clark Snyder aggregation. The score as given to the correspondent stood 54 to 39 in favor of Nekoosa. The boys claim they would have done much better had the rain not stopped them from playing a nine inning game.

Street Commissioner George Pratt repaired a number of walks on the side streets of the village. This was a much needed improvement. There are still a number of walks that are in poor condition that the property owners ought to look after before an accident occurs.

Spring laziness, legs ache, back aches, feel tired, no ambition, no appetite, all run down feeling. Rocky Mountain Tea puts new life into your body; you feel good all over. 35 cents. Johnson & Hill Co.

The dancing party given by the base ball team on last Thursday was well attended. The party was a credit to the boys. They fully deserve the patronage with which they were favored.

Miss Agnes Rosenheimer of Schleisingsville was the guest of her aunt Mrs. Richard Scheibe last week. Miss Rosenheimer departed for home on Saturday last.

About twenty school mates and friends of Margaret and Bessie Richmond tendered them a surprise party on Monday evening.

The village board of trustees meet last Saturday night and transacted the usual routine of business.

Sieywert Nelson made a trip to Brokaw last Sunday and spent the day with his brother, Julius.

Miss Katie Spawm and Mrs. Gus Bulgrin went to Kellner on pleasure bent on Thursday.

Miss Lucy Cournoyer and Nora McHugh spent Saturday and Sunday at Grand Rapids.

Anton Kolinski of Stevens Point visited at the home of Frank Wayer-ske recently.

Susan Beeston enjoyed a visit with her parents at Spring Creek one day last week.

Charles Oberly and family enjoyed a drive to Nekoosa on the Sabbath past.

Mrs. Antone Gable was shopping at Grand Rapids last Thursday.

Mrs. H. A. Morgan and Marion Tuttle are at Plainfield.

John Forgerly spent Sunday with H. Westfelt at Wausan.

Asher Boyles is visiting with friends in the village.

The Most Common Ailment.

More people suffer from rheumatism than from any other ailment. This is wholly unnecessary too, for a cure may be effected at a very small cost. G. W. Wescott, of Meadowdale, N. Y., says: "I have been afflicted with rheumatism for some time and it has caused me much suffering. I concluded to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm and am pleased to say that it has cured me." For sale by Johnson & Hill Co. and Wood County Drug Co.

BABCOCK.

A boy who lately came here from Mosinee and was called "Little Joe," and who has been working for Will Ebbel in the livery stable, was arrested Sunday morning for breaking into two of the saloons while under the influence of liquor on Saturday night. He was taken to the Rapids on Monday, and will probably plead guilty and receive a sentence to the house of correction. He was only 16 years of age.

Miss Corena Vachreau and William Kinney were married at Mosinee on the 12th instant at the home of the bride's parents. The young couple will make their home at Tomah. The friends of the contracting parties at this place extend congratulations and wish them a happy journey through life.

It is reported that Levi Griffith will refit the old store building of G. W. Lyons and will put in a full line of general merchandise. We all wish you success in your new undertaking.

It is said that L. Ward has purchased G. W. Lyon's residence property and will take possession about the 28th of this month. Consideration \$1,800.

L. Ward and J. Ingraham were business visitors in Grand Rapids on Tuesday.

District Attorney Brazeau was seen on our streets considerably the past week.

Mrs. Will Sullivan was a Grand Rapids visitor on Tuesday.

G. W. Lyons spent Sunday in this village with his family.

Bountiful Nature has never yielded to the researches of science a remedy with as much merit as Hart's Honey and Horehound, which cures coughs, colds, la grippe, etc., prevents pneumonia, and lung affection. Mr. D. W. Griner, a popular and well-known city employe of Danville, Ill., says: "I have used Hart's Honey and Horehound and it gave me perfect satisfaction. I consider it a preparation that will do exactly what it is recommended to do." Sold by Sam Church, druggist.

SIGEL.

School terminated in Dis. No. 1, Sigel, May 25th. The closing exercises, which were witnessed by many, consisted of a "May Pole Dance," "A May Queen" and a "Fishing Pond." The latter was especially amusing as old and young participated. Miss Prossolt, teacher.

Why Some Horses Cost Purchasers Dearly.

The firm of O'Connell and White of LaCrosse, well known horse dealers, who have sold many horses in different parts of the state, employ methods in making these sales, whereby a horse has to be sold for at least double its value in order that good commissions may be realized. The following extract from The Sparta Advertiser shows to what extent money was used in bringing about the sale of one of these horses in Adams county. "The methods used in the selling of stallions to stock companies consisting of farmers were quite clearly shown today in the case of Thomas King vs. Bernard O'Connell and Cash. White. Perhaps the most sensational testimony of the day was that of J. B. Hill, a deputy game warden from Friendship, Adams county. In his testimony he admitted that he had secured the sum of \$500 on his commission in persuading his lifelong neighbors to join the company. The committee appointed to go to Sparta and select a horse consisted of J. B. Hill, H. S. Willard and Charles Foss. They reached here safely and after spending a couple of days selected a horse, but not until the entire committee was promised the sum of \$450. The testimony shows that the horse was delivered and that Hill secured \$500, Willard \$135 and Foss \$135, making a total of \$770 of the farmers' \$2400 that remained in Adams county. From the evidence there is nothing to show that the horse was not sound and all right. But it was shown that Cash and O'Connell secured the sum of \$900, which no doubt, was fully the value of the horse."—Portage Democrat.

A Lesson in Health.

Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys and will positively cure all forms of kidney and bladder disease. It strengthens the whole system. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

PORT EDWARDS.

Mrs. Herbert Lephau and daughter Dorothy of Nekoosa were visitors at the S. Cleveland home for a few days last week.

Roy Eddy and Mike Denemire, wheeled to Stevens Point Saturday and returned Monday.

E. F. Deyo and O. W. Dodge have been regular visitors to the county seat this week being on jury.

Mrs. J. La Madeline and Mrs. J. Dixon spent the Sabbath with Mrs. Frank Noel.

Mrs. W. A. Brazeau of your city visited at the G. B. Brazeau home on Saturday.

Misses Annie Mundiger and Mary Leverage were Nekoosa visitors on Sunday.

J. La Madeline and Mrs. J. Dixon were calling on friends in our village on Saturday.

Mrs. F. Noel and daughter Esther were visitors in your city on Wednesday.

Miss Retta L. Cleveland visited friends in your city Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Early spent the Sabbath with friends in your city.

Mrs. Joe Brandnor and Miss Fannie Burrows spent Sunday at Nekoosa.

Mrs. J. V. Lavigne purchased a piano from W. L. Laim last week.

Mrs. Wm. Leverage was shopping in your city on Thursday.

Mrs. J. Shellhammer was shopping in your city on Tuesday.

Herman Leverage was a visitor in your city on Monday.

Big Pavilion Show.

Ogdens "Ten nights in a Bar Room," as played here Monday evening was by all odds the best attraction that has played here during our three years residence. The attendance was good for this time of the year and in consideration of the fact that the price of admission was 50 cents for reserved seats was somewhat higher than the people had been used to paying. The play was well produced and the specialties between acts were most pleasing and were declared by some to be alone worth the price of admission. —Bismarck News.

Ogdens show will be in Grand Rapids on Saturday evening, May 23rd, and at Nekoosa on the 25th. Will show on the market square on the east side. Don't miss it.

RUDOLPH.

Johnny Weyers has accepted a position in Johnson & Hill dry goods department store. He went to work on Monday morning.

I. E. Cooley and Max Sowaske, both of Grand Rapids wheeled up here on Sunday and had dinner with Mr. M. Sharkey and family.

A number of the young people of this place attended the dance at Milladore last Saturday night and reported a good time.

Mrs. B. Sharkey left Saturday on the evening train for Merrill to visit with friends and relations at that place.

Edmund Livernash has been sick with the grip during the past week but is somewhat better at this writing.

Give the children Rocky Mountain Tea, this month, makes them strong, makes them eat, sleep and grow. Good for the whole family. A spring tonic that makes sick people well. 35 cents. Johnson & Hill Co.

Miss Alice Akey departed on Saturday morning for a two weeks visit with her niece, Tessie Yetter, at Colby.

Henry Wakley and Louis LeBreche of Grand Rapids were guests at the Morgan home on Sunday.

Miss Rose Rattell was the guest of her sister Beatrice at Milladore on Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Vivien Lyonsias spent Sunday at Junction City.

May Conhart spent Sunday with her parents.

Farmers!

We are after your wool. If you want the highest prices, then bring it to us, the place that sells groceries, flour and feed the cheapest. Call on us for seeds. Johnson & Hill Co.

Made Young Again.

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again," writes D. E. Turner of Dempsey town, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c. at John F. Daly's Drug Store.

Chess and Nerves.

Dr. Lasker, the chess champion, in a recent interview granted to a reporter of the Minneapolis Journal, declared that chess playing, let carried to excess, improves a man's health. "Most of the prominent players," he added, "live to an advanced age. But nervous people shouldn't play chess at night. If they do, they can't sleep. Nor in the morning, or they can't work. They shouldn't play at all, in fact. Chess is beneficial to a normal man, just as athletics is good for him. The chess player lives longer than the athlete."

A Busy Day.

Hallit—What's the matter, Klay? You look all tired out.

Klay—And no wonder. I've had a hard day of it. I don't know when I've worked so hard. I looked at the men clean up the railroad station this morning, and after that I saw three safes raised into four story windows and four loads of coal delivered in baskets.—Boston Transcript.

Her Anatomical Experience.

Teacher (of class in anatomy)—How many bones are there in a chicken? Millie (youngest member of large family)—I can tell you how many there are in the neck. That's the only part I ever get.—Chicago Tribune.

Near Tiverton, Devonshire, England, there is to be seen a blackbird with a white head and a speckled back.

Claims of Creditors.

Wood County Court—in Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Anna Jeffrey, deceased. Letters testamentary on the estate of said Anna Jeffrey, deceased, having been granted and issued to John J. Jeffrey and Daniel Keenan on the 24th day of May, 1903, it is now at this special term of this court, ordered, that all creditors of said Anna Jeffrey, deceased, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this Court on or before the 24th day of November, 1903, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered further, that the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at the regular December term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 1st day of December, 1903.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a weekly newspaper published at the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date of order.

Dated, Grand Rapids, Wis., May 12th, 1903.
By the Court, W. J. COSWAY,
County Judge.

Runs Itself.

"Got a talking machine at home?"
"Yes."
"What did you pay for it?"
"Nothing; married it."—London Tit-Bits.

Mosquitoes are so numerous near the coast of Borneo that the streams of that region are in summer often un-navigable.

Crayon Portraits.

—Do you want Crayon or Pastel enlargements? We are making them cheaper and better than you can get them from traveling agents. Crayons that were \$1.98 now \$1.00. Pastels that were \$3.00 now \$1.00. We employ no agents. The Home Portrait company. H. LINCOLN, Near Central Hardware company, Lock box 12. West side.

What Advertising Can Do.

Detroit Free Press: In 1839 P. T. Barnum, the great showman, journeyed to the Pacific coast to visit a relative. On the way back east he stopped at Kansas City to see the great Barnum & Bailey show that was then exhibiting in that city. The then press agent of the Barnum & Bailey show, Bert Davis introduced to Mr. Barnum the editors of the local dailies at the former's hotel. In the course of the conversation which naturally followed Mr. Barnum said: "Gentlemen" Mr. Bailey tells me that my presence at the performance of the Barnum & Bailey circus is worth \$5,000 a day to the show. If this is true it is my name that is so valuable. It is known in every town, city and hamlet; it has become a household word throughout the country. Now, gentlemen, all of this was done by newspapers, and if advertising can make a man worth \$5,000 a day, what is it that advertising can't do?"

—Foley's Honey and Tar is peculiarly adapted for asthma, bronchitis and hoarseness. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

DONT' MISS THE
Great May Sale
At Heineman's this week. The dates are
MAY 15 TO 23rd INCLUSIVE.

The sale embraces Men's Women's and Children's Under wear, Summer Dress Goods and Groceries for one week only. You will save money by buying your goods at Heineman's this week.

HEINEMAN
MERCANTILE COMPANY.

WATCH FOR THE YELLOW TICKETS?

Great Three Day Wonder SALE.

Sale opens Saturday, May 23, and closes Tuesday, May 26, under the personal direction of C. W. Dyer, of New York City. Mr. Dyer will have full control of this sale and will dictate the prices goods are to be sold at. Never before in Grand Rapids, has such a sale been held, and it will pay you to come the first day and see the wonderful bargains offered. See hand bills for prices.

Our Dry Goods Department will be closed Friday, May 22nd to arrange for this Wonderful Merchandising Event.

SPAFFORD, COLE & COMPANY.

THE LADIES COME TO THE RESCUE

MANUAL TRAINING AND DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

Almost Enough Money Raised by the Women's Clubs of the City to Rescure these Branches of Education in our Public Schools. Ladies Tackle the Subject with a Will and Make Good Progress.

The members of the school board in this city had decided that the matter of introducing manual training and domestic science into the new high school would have to go over for another year owing to the fact that so much money is now being expended in the erection and completion of the new high school that there is no more available.

But the ladies of the city have willed different, and it begins to look as if some of the sayings about a woman having her own way are at least partially true.

A week ago last Saturday night the members of the various women's clubs in this city held a meeting at the library building to see what they could do towards raising the money to furnish the rooms for the carrying on of the studies in question. The commissioners had stated that it would require the sum of \$750 to properly equip the rooms with the paraphernalia for these studies and it was with this goal in sight that the ladies started out.

At the meeting it was discovered that if the amount necessary were equally divided among the ladies club

members it would mean that each would have to either pay or raise the sum of \$12.50, so the matter was settled by deciding that the amount could be handled and those present were instructed to inform the other members of the clubs what they were expected to do.

The consequence was that the women get busy, and there was about a week when it was dangerous for a man to give any of his feminine friends a pleasant look, he was held up and made to shell out, the sum varying in amount from fifty cents to any height the victim cared to go.

The results were gratifying. The ladies held a second meeting and after hearing the reports from the different societies it was discovered that the dear ones had succeeded in doing the male population out of the sum of \$500, and that there was no question but what the other two fifty could be obtained with a very little added effort. Of course the men did not give it all, but some few who had never before been known to donate to anything where they did not see two dollars coming back for every one they paid out really felt as if they were bearing most of the burden, "and taxes so awfully high, you know."

There was only one thing where any of the high schools of the surrounding country could claim that they were in any way ahead of what the Grand Rapids High school would be when finished, and that was in the teaching of domestic science and manual training, and now that these branches are practically assured, there are none of them that can make any claims to superiority. The work that the ladies have done is something to be proud of and should be appreciated by every resident of the city, whether he has children attending the school or not. It shows the proper spirit, the kind that always wins out in the end.

THE NEW HOTEL DIXON.

Plans Completed and Work Progressing Rapidly on New Hotel Building.—To Be One of the Finest in this Section.

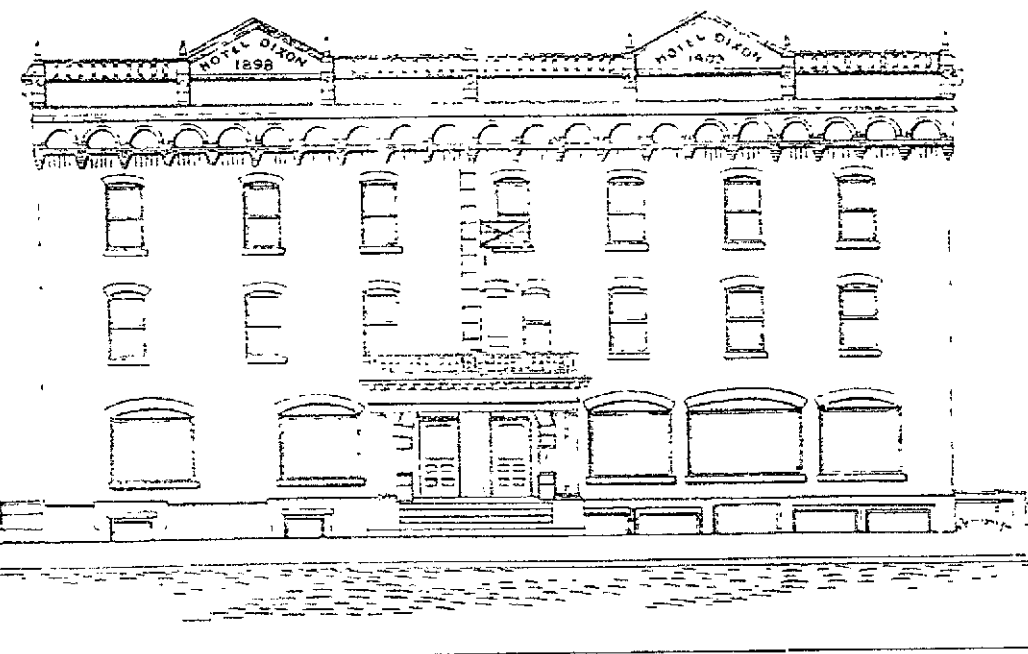
The plans for the new Dixon house have been completed and the building will not only be a large and imposing one but there is every promise that it will be thoroughly up to date in every respect and a hostelry that we need not be ashamed of in any way.

The new building will have an 80 foot front and three stories clear across, and will contain 41 guest rooms, making it one of the largest hotels in this part of the state. It is expected that it will again open to the public on the 15th of August, and it is Landlord Dixon's intention to have it such a place that there will be no demand for anything better.

will be of quarter-sawn oak and pine. The second and third floors will contain 41 guest rooms, a parlor, toilet and bath rooms, and will be finished in Georgia pine. A hall will open onto the portico from the second floor and there will be fire escape extending to the floor above. There will also be two fire escapes in the rear of the building.

The kitchen will also be enlarged to correspond with the rest of the building and will be modern in its equipment, and it is proposed to make the cuisine as good as that of any hotel in the country.

The new hotel will be heated with



The hotel will practically have four stories, it being the intention to utilize all of the space in the basement to good advantage. The basement will contain a buffet, billiard and card rooms, a three chair barber shop with four bath rooms in connection, and later it is the intention to add Turkish baths. There will also be two sample rooms in the basement with wood room, laundry, furnace room and vegetable cellar. The buffet will be fitted with the latest bar fixtures and finished in quarter-sawn oak and marble. The barber shop and bath rooms will be under the management of Frank Dudley and will be thoroughly up to date.

The first floor will contain the office and lobby room 24x40 feet with writing and reading rooms, parlor, dining room, two sample rooms, and kitchen. The front of the building, which will be 80 feet in width, will be of plate glass. The front door will be covered by a portico reaching to the curb. The floors of the first story will be of tile throught, while the woodwork

steam throught the building, and every floor will be provided with hot and cold water and lighted by electricity. The Dixon has been in existence during the past twenty years, and it has grown from a small frame building to the fair sized hotel it was at the time of the fire on the 20th of April. The new hotel will be as much of an improvement over the little wooden building of twenty years ago. It is figured that the capacity of the new building would be sufficient to accommodate a city of fully ten thousand people, and Mr. Dixon stated that should the growth of the city warrant it he will increase the size of the hotel accordingly.

It would seem that the hotel problem had been solved. With a first class hotel on each side of the river there is no reason why the traveling public should not find ample accommodations for several years to come, and the rebuilding of the Dixon will certainly prove a great benefit to the city and have a marked tendency to give the west side a more metropolitan appearance.

Berkeley people, who regret his departure from our city. He is prominent in Masonic and Odd Fellow circles and was always found ready to contribute his part at their gatherings, at which he was a regular attendant.

"Mrs. Loveland is well and favorable known in Redwood City and San Mateo county, where she resided for many years, and her marriage will come as a surprise to her many friends."

The Tribune extends congratulations.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

Will be Held Next Week by the High School Scholars.

The program for Class day and commencement exercises as prepared by the high school scholars is herewith given. The order of the exercises is as follows:

Baccalaureate sermon, Sunday, May 24th, at the Congregational church, Rev. B. J. H. Shaw.

Dedication of Lincoln building, Tuesday, May 26th.

Class day, Wednesday, May 27th.

Commencement exercises, Thursday, May 28th. The programs are as follows:

CLASS DAY.
Instrumental Music—Selected.
A. H. Colcord, James Cramer, John Stelt.
Class History, East Side. Belle Kellogg.
Class History, West Side. Kate Kellogg.
Instrumental Music. Stella Lutz.
Class Prophecy. Caroline Waser.
Class Statistics. Kate Corcoran.
Chorus. High School.
Farewell to Buildings. Lacy Horton.
Class Characteristics. Grace Conway.
Vocal Duet—Till We Meet Again.
E. H. Bailey, Anna Reeves, Ruby Atwick.
Address to Juniors. Anna Johnson.
Response. Carl Odegard.
Instrumental Music—Selected.
High School Orchestra.

COMMENCEMENT.
Instrumental Music—Selected.
A. H. Colcord, James Cramer, John Stelt.
Invocation. Rev. W. A. Peterson.
Oration—Influence of Time. Amelia Schroedel.
Oration—Faith in the Unseen. Gertrude Gaynor.
Vocal Solo, violin obligato.
Angels' Serenade. (Brazer) Mathilda Bunge.

Essay—Virgil Clavier Method of Piano Practice. Ruby St. Amour.
Oration—News-papers. Josie Huber.
Violin Solo—Selected. James Cramer.
Oration—The Trust Question. Guy Potter.
Oration—The Negro Question. Ethel Nissen.
Quartet—Happy Day (DeKoven).
Mathilda Bunge, Irving Brazzau.
Laura Reeves, T. A. Taylor.
Essay, Thomas B. Reed. Edward Pomainville.
Oration—The Formation of Character.
Solo—Selected. Eva Cahill.
Oration—Influence of Women. Orra Nisson.
Essay—Value of Money. Bertha Heiser.
Vocal Solo—Spring Awakening (L. D.).
Mathilda Bunge, Irving Brazzau.
Laura Reeves.
Oration—War or Arbitration. Lynne Renne.
Duet—Saviour Breathe an Evening Blessing (Arranged by Geo. Nevill).
T. A. Taylor, Laura Reeves.

Debate—Resolved, that it is for the best interests of the people of the United States, that the railroads shall be owned and operated by federal government.
Concession. It is conceded that such ownership and operation is constitutional.
Affirmative. Roy Nash, Earl Brennan. Negative. Will Teller, Guy Potter.
Quartet—In this Hour of Softened Splendor (Pinsult).
Mathilda Bunge, Irving Brazzau.
Laura Reeves, T. A. Taylor.

Decision of Judges.
Presentation of Diplomas.
Class Motto—"Forward."
Class Flower—White Carnation.

The exercises will be held in the assembly room of the new high school which will be ready for occupancy at that time.

Death of C. A. Hall.

Calistus A. Hall, at one time a resident of this city, and a brother to Joseph Hall, was killed at Ellis on Saturday afternoon by being caught in a stone crusher and mangled in a horrible manner. The following from the Stevens Point Journal, tells of the accident:

He was on top of the machine attending to the oiling. He stood behind the hopper between two heavy fly wheels. As he stood there a stone got lodged in the jaws and he reached over to disengage it. As he did so he appears to have slipped and his right foot got caught between the spokes of one of the fly wheels and the edge of the machine, in a space of about two inches. Each spoke as it came around knocked off a piece of the bone and flesh and dragged the limb a little further into the machine. Some of his companions grabbed him and tried to hold him back but the tremendous momentum of the heavy fly wheels kept carrying him down until the limb was reduced to a pulp up to the hip.

After he was extricated from the machine he was removed on a sheet to Peter Eiden's residence where he died in about an hour from the shock and internal injuries caused by straining of the cords of his limb. He was conscious almost to the last and talked fondly of different members of his family.

Mr. Hall was born at Randolph station, Columbia county, on Jan. 29, 1858. When he was four years of age his parents removed to Grand Rapids, where he remained until 1893, when he came to this city and has been in the employ of the city most of the time ever since. In 1877 at Grand Rapids, he married Miss Charlotte Lewis, who with two sons, aged 15 and 7, and a married daughter, Mrs. May Maylow, survives him. He also has two brothers and three sisters, Joseph Hall of Grand Rapids, Rufus Hall of North Dakota, Mrs. George Towels of Minneapolis, Mrs. Louis Bossard of Waterloo, Iowa and Mrs. Maria Cadwell of Omaha.

The funeral was held Tuesday at 2 o'clock from the house, Rev. W. A. Hall officiating, the interment followed in Forest cemetery.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

GIANT GRIPMAN WINS THE MATCH.

PROVES TOO HEAVY FOR THE MARSHFIELD BOY.

People See the Best Match Ever Had Here—Beell and Rooney Both in Good Condition and Wrestled for all That is in Them. A Fair Sized Audience in Attendance.

The wrestling match that was to have taken place between Fred Beell and Wm. Watson of Chicago on Tuesday evening failed to materialize on account of Watson breaking two of his ribs while training for the event, thus putting him out of the game for a time at least. Watson telegraphed theftack on Sunday and offered to secure Rooney to take his place. This was agreed to by Beell, so the side bet of \$100 was called off and the match went on.

The men came on the mat at 9:35. There was a noticeable difference in their size, Beell looking like a pigmy alongside of his giant antagonist. Beell weighed a trifle over 160 pounds and Rooney must have gone 200 at least.

Both men were a trifle cautious at the beginning of the first round, each having respect for the other's ability. They soon got to mixing things, however, and they went to the mat with Beell on top. It was when in this position that the excessive size of Rooney helped him out of trouble almost continuously. Beell was much the quicker of the two, and had no trouble in keeping on the back of his adversary. But the big fellow got out of several tight places by virtue of his weight, and getting the upper hand, took a turn at the little fellow's wind. In the first round Rooney got a leg hold on Beell that looked like a cinch, but the Marshfield boy managed to break it before he had been weakened to any extent. This round lasted 21 minutes and was a good one from start to finish, Rooney finally winning the fall by a half nelson and bar hold. Time 21 minutes and 30 seconds.

Only 10 minutes were allowed between falls, but when the men appeared for the next bout they were apparently as fresh as ever. They went at it this time fast and furious, each seeming to want to end the matter as rapidly as possible. In spite of the disparity in their size, they seemed to be quite evenly matched, Beell's strength and quickness putting him about an equal footing with the big fellow. During a mixup Beell got a forward half nelson on Rooney and before there was time to see how it was done the big fellow had been rolled on his back and pinned there. Time of round, 7 minutes.

When the men came on for the third round they were both cautious and did not seem inclined to give the other any advantage by making a mismove. They soon warmed up to business, however, and there were many good holds taken and broken. Rooney seemed to be a little the worse for wear in this round, and was puffing pretty hard. Both men had worked hard and it seemed every minute as if the round would be ended, but Beell invariably escaped by his quickness, while Rooney used his extra weight to good advantage to help him out of the tight places, and the result was that it was 18 minutes and 7 seconds before it was ended by Rooney getting a half nelson on Beell and putting his shoulders to the mat.

The match was a nice clean one from start to finish, there being no questionable tactics used at any time, and as the strange hold was barred there was nothing but straight wrestling all the way thru. Beell was handicapped somewhat by a bad cut over his eye which he recently acquired while splitting wood at home, his ax striking a clothesline and rebounding caught him over the eye and cut to the skull. This had only partially healed, and the scraggy wound on the mat soon got it sore again and in trying to favor this hurt a little he may have lost chances that otherwise would have been taken advantage of.

Preceding the match between Beell and Rooney there was a catch-as-catch-can go between Griffin and Muellebach of Marshfield, two youngsters who put up quite an interesting exhibition. This was won by Muellebach.

Charles Podawiltz acted as referee and his decisions were fair and apparently satisfactory to everybody. Wm. Petzold acted as timekeeper.

Notice.

We have disposed of our business to J. R. Ragan formerly of Hurley, Wis. Mr. Ragan has had many years experience in the furniture business and is a practical undertaker and embalmer and we can recommend him as such.

Geo. W. Baker, Jr., will continue in the employ of Mr. Ragan. Parties wishing to settle their accounts with us can call and pay at the store the same as in the past. Thanking our many friends for their kind patronage in the past we are,

Very Truly Yours,
GEO. W. BAKER & SON.

The following testimonial was received from Mr. John W. Young, an old soldier and highly respected citizen of Lincoln, Ill., who says, "I had a severe cough and cold and I decided to get some kind of medicine. I purchased a bottle of Harts' Honey and Florebound, and am pleased to say I am now well. I advise anyone suffering from throat or lung affections to use this valuable remedy. I cannot recommend it too highly." Sold by Sam Church, druggist.

DECORATION DAY

will soon be here and it would be well to decorate yourselves with a fine new Suit of Clothes from the well selected stock of High-grade Clothing at Kruger and Warner's. Their stock is replenished every few weeks with the new things as they come into market. It can well be said, of this store that it is

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The proprietors are thoroughly alive and awake to the needs of the people and keep their stock always in readiness for the most shrewd, economical and stylish dressers. After selecting your suit you are sure to find everything to finish out your attire to be in the height of fashion. A fine fancy or plain lace front white shirt from \$2.00 down to 50c each, as you may choose, each grade of which are guaranteed as good if not superior to any at the price.



A stylish Hat of which they always have a fine selection. It is much easier to select the right thing if you get into the right place

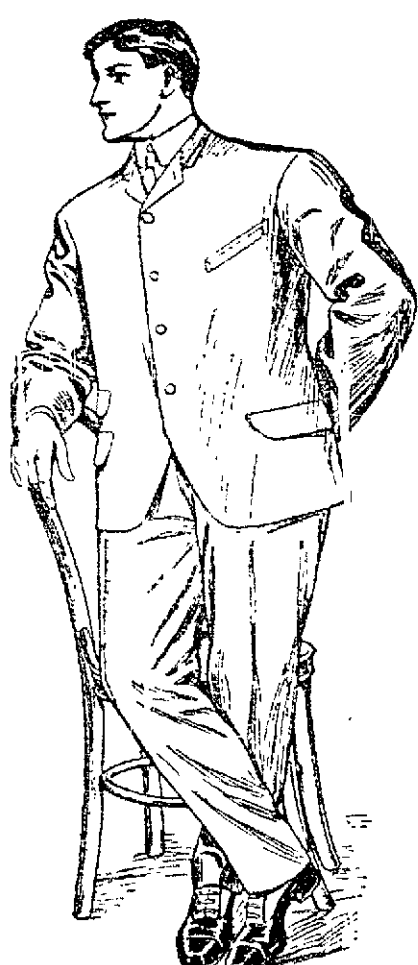
Shirts, White and Fancy Vests, Neckwear Suspenders, Fine Underwear, Union Suits, from \$3.00 down to \$1.00 a Suit. Two piece Suits from \$1.00 down to 25c, if you wish. See our fine line of Manilla Panama, and Straw Hats from \$7.50 down to 50c each. All the newest shapes direct from the east.

All we ask of you is to get into the right place before you buy, and well you know where that is. Come right along we will welcome you any time.

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WANTED HIS FRIEND'S WIFE.

Veendum Man Arrested on Serious Charge at Babcock.

Charles W. Funk was arrested at Babcock on Friday by the sheriff and brought to this city. The charge against him being adultery, brought by Charles Rehal, who claims that Funk was making way with his wife.

The story told by Rehal is to the effect that Funk had been stopping at his house, having been befriended by Rehal, and during this time he had succeeded in winning the affections of Mrs. Rehal, the last named being residents of Veendum in the town of Dexter.

Rehal claims that Funk induced his wife to leave home on Thursday and that they stopped overnight at Dexter, after which they separated. Mrs. Rehal going south while Funk came to this city over the Green Bay and took the St. Paul with the evident intention of meeting Mrs. Rehal at some point further south.

When arrested he was on the train at Babcock. He was taken before Justice Cooper on Saturday for a hearing and took adjournment until Thursday, the 21st instant.

Notice of Dissolution

The partnership that heretofore existed between M. Peterson and J. Rasmussen is this day dissolved and this method is taken to apprise the public of the fact. I will not be responsible for any contracts or guarantees made by Mr. Rasmussen, and the public is warned to govern themselves accordingly.

M. PETERSON.
Grand Rapids, Wis., May 18, 1903.

An Old Friend Weds.

The following from the Berkeley, Cal. Daily Gazette, tell of the marriage of one of our old and respected citizens:

"On Wednesday, May 6, Dr. George F. Witter Sr. and Mrs. Emma R. Loveland of Redwood City were married at the residence of his son, Willis G. Witter, 2301 Durant avenue, this city.

"Rev. George B. Hatch of the First Congregational church performed the ceremony. There were present only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. Willis G. Witter and wife, and Geo. F. Witter Jr. and wife of Oakland. Immediately after the event Dr. and Mrs. Witter departed for San Jose, where they will reside in the future.

"Dr. Witter is well known to many

Market Prices. The following are the market prices of produce in the city of Grand Rapids corrected on the day of publication.

Potatoes, bushel	35
Wheat, No. 2, bushel	65
Rye, bushel	43
Oats, bushel	34
Corn, shelled, 100 lbs.	90
Hay, marsh, ton	5.00
Hay, timothy, ton	9.00
Eggs, dozen	13
Butter, lb.	12 1/2
Beans, bushel	15 1/2
Peas, bushel	15
Onions, bushel	20
Beef, live, 100 lbs.	\$3.00
Beef, dressed, 100 lbs.	\$3.00
Pork, live	6.00
Pork, dressed	7.00
Veal, live, lb.	.04
Veal, dressed, lb.	.07
Chickens, live, lb.	.12
Chickens, dressed, lb.	.14
Turkeys, live, lb.	.18
Turkeys, dressed, lb.	.18 1/2
Flour, patent, 40 lbs.	4.30
Feed, ton	21.50
Middlings, ton	16.50
Brans, ton	16.00
Bolled Corn Meal, bbl.	3.50
Lard, lb.	.12
Whole Hams, lb.	.14
Mess Pork, bbl.	18.75

NEW SHOES!

I have just unpacked a large consignment of the very latest in footwear. Here are some that I have:

Dr. Reed's Cushion sole shoe for sore feet. If your feet bother you, try a pair of these.

J. P. Smith Stag Shoe.

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Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago & North-Western Railway for the occasions named below:

Presbyterian General Assembly, Los Angeles, May 21st to June 2d.

Travelers' Protective Association, Indianapolis, Ind., June 9th to 14th.

Modern Woodmen of America, Indianapolis, Ind., June 17th to 24th.

National Educational Association, Boston, July 6th to 10th.

Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., July 7th to 10th.

United Christian Endeavor, Denver, July 9th to 13th.

Epworth League, Detroit, Mich., July 16th to 19th.

B. P. O. E., Baltimore, Md., July 21st to 23d.

G. A. R. meeting, San Francisco, August 17th to 22d.

For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon the ticket agent of the North-Western Line.

Half rates to annual meeting of German Baptist Brethren at Bellefontaine, Ohio, via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip June 1, limited for return until June 6, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Whooping Cough.

A woman who has had experience with this disease, tells how to prevent any dangerous consequences from it. She says: Our three children took whooping cough last summer, our baby boy being only three months old, and owing to our giving them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, lost none of their plumpness and came out in much better health than other children whose parents did not use this remedy. Our oldest little girl would call lustily for cough syrup between whoops.—JESSIE PINKNEY HALL, Springville, Ala. This remedy is for sale by Johnson & Hill Co. and Wood County Drug Co.

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To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of No. Mehopyan, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "A patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50c at John E. Daly.

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Albion	7:50	10:20
Vesley	8:07	10:05
Grand Rapids	8:30	9:45
Port Edwards	8:40	9:35
Nekoosa	8:50	9:25

	A. M.	P. M.
Minneapolis	7:25	5:35
St. Paul	8:00	5:00
Edinboro	11:00	2:00
Glennville Falls	11:30	1:30

	P. M.	A. M.
Marshall	2:14	10:45
Grand Rapids	3:20	9:45

	A. M.	P. M.
Ashtabula	11:30	7:45
Duluth	11:45	11:15

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	South Bound	North Bound
Chicago	Ar 1:15	De 10:45
Minneapolis	Ar 10:45	De 5:15
Port Huron	Ar 9:05	De 3:45

	A. M.	P. M.
Red Granite Jet	Ar 1:30	De 10:30
Marshall	Ar 11:15	De 10:14
Grand Rapids	Ar 10:55	De 10:55

	P. M.	A. M.
Red Granite Jet	Ar 6:30	De 8:30
Wautoma	Ar 6:55	De 8:45
Wauwatosa	Ar 6:25	De 9:05
Almond	Ar 6:30	De 9:25
Port Huron	Ar 5:30	De 9:40
Ketchikan	Ar 5:14	De 10:05
Grand Rapids	Ar 5:15	De 10:05
Vesley	Ar 9:32	De 1:25
Port Huron	Ar 11:37	De 2:10
Marshall	Ar 8:45	De 2:45

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No hay fever at Isle Royale. The cool lake breezes and stimulating atmosphere also affords substantial relief from asthma and catarrh.

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Parties applying to us will receive full information as to rates and accommodations at the "Gem Island" of Lake Superior. The Wisconsin Central Railway and connecting Passenger Steamers furnish most excellent transportation to and from Isle Royale at low tourist rates. Jas. C. Pond, G. P. A., Milwaukee, Wis.

A Sure Thing.

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanMetre of Shepherdsburg, W. Va., says "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely." It's infallible for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by John E. Daly, Druggist. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes 50c, \$1.00.

New Guinea Swamp Dwellers.

Recently the British government published an interesting report on the apelike swamp dwellers of New Guinea. This strange race of human beings has dwelt in the swamps from times which antedate the oldest native traditions, and it is evidently on the highroad to becoming a distinct variety of animal. The swamp dwellers have lost three inches in stature and, while retaining muscular arms and a robust trunk, have short and slender legs. Walking always in water or on moist ground, they have feet with long, fragile looking toes, which they place on the ground "like wooden feet." Walking on hard ground makes their feet bleed, and, unlike the ordinary natives, whose skin is everywhere tight and smooth, the outline of their loins is obscured by folds of skin. "More apelike than any human being that I have seen," is the concluding criticism of the British administrator. It is probable of course that this effort of nature to create a new species of amphibious human being with flat swimming and wading feet and degenerate physique will be defeated by civilizing agencies. Fifty years hence the last recognizable specimens of this queer race will perhaps have incased their paddle feet in boots. Perhaps their women will be wearing high heeled shoes. But the record of their existence is interesting.

Claims of Creditors.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James McDonough, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said James McDonough, deceased, having been granted and issued to J. W. Coleman on the 31st day of May, 1903, it is now at this regular term of this court.

Ordered, that all creditors of said James McDonough deceased, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this court on or before the 31st day of November, 1903, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered Further, that the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjudged by this court at the regular term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 1st day of the month of December, 1903.

And it is Further Ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands are to be received, examined and adjudged, as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a weekly newspaper published at the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date of the order.

Dated May 6th, 1903.

By the Court. W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale on Execution.

In Circuit Court for Wood County, Wisconsin.

J. W. Coleman, Plaintiff.

Nicholas Vinickel, Defendant.

Full and complete rendered, entered and docketed April 3, P. J. Damages and fees, \$22.00.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court for Wood County, Wisconsin, against the judgment above rendered, dated and attested a writ of execution and delivered on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1903, and in default of payment thereof, and of want of goods and chattels to satisfy the same, and wherefore, to wit: I collect the same, I, John J. Ebbel, Sheriff of the county of said, have levied upon and will offer for sale, at the front door of the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, in the county of said and State of Wisconsin, on the first day of June, A. D. 1903, at 10 A. M., of that day, and to the highest bidder for cash, all in and to the following described real estate, to wit: Lot 2 of Block 1 of subdivision of Fractional Government Lot 1 in Section 17, Township 22 North, Range 6 East, according to Survey of said City of Grand Rapids in Wood County, Wisconsin.

Dated April 15, 1903.

JOHN J. EBEL, Sheriff Wood Co., Wis.

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Happiness.

Happiness? Sooth to say, it does not exist, or, rather, destiny serves it out to us in fractions, in small doses, homeopathically. Happiness is made up of halts. In the rough road stage of life, so long and yet so short, there are furtive moments when we sit down by the wayside and would gladly stop there, go no farther, sleep a little on the good earth which will one day embrace us. And immediately the march, march, of Bossuet rings out and urges us on. A halt? Why? Up and on, quick; we must hark forward; life continues. We rise and take up our burden again. March! March!—Jules Claretie.

National Longevity.

Of European nations the Norwegian and Swedish are the longest lived, the Spaniards the shortest. According to a foreign statistical return recently issued the average duration of life is as follows: Sweden and Norway, 50 years; England 45 years and 3 months; Belgium, 44 years and 11 months; Switzerland, 44 years and 4 months; France 43 years and 6 months; Austria, 39 years and 8 months; Prussia and Italy, 39 years; Bavaria, 36 years, and Spain, 32 years and 4 months.

He Was Mad.

A German who recently landed in this city was attacked upon the street and bitten by a vicious dog. A few bystanders rushed to the man's assistance, who was apparently more frightened than injured, and asked if the dog was mad. The German exclaimed: "Vor! Der dog mad? Vy he be mad? 'Tis me vot is mad!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Belief Was Mutual.

"Young man," said the professor as he grabbed a frisky junior by the shoulder, "I believe Satan has got hold of you."

"I believe he has," was the quick reply.—Exchange.

His Credentials.

Employer—Yes, I advertised for a strong boy. Think you will fill the bill?

Applicant—Well, I just finished lickin' nineteen other applicants out in de hall.—St. Louis Star.

Much More Sensible.

"Jack, dear, when you are gone, I shall pine away."

"Don't pine away. Spruce up."—Life.

The first life insurance society was started in London in 1698 and another in 1700. Neither was successful.

Doctor Here Again!

Dr. Lytle of the St. Luke's Hospital Will Be Here May 17, and Every Four weeks Thereafter.

YOU PAY THE DOCTOR FOR HIS SERVICES AFTER YOU ARE CURED.

Dr. Lytle of the St. Luke's Hospital has, at the request of a number of patients now under his treatment in this country, established a permanent branch office, at the Commercial House in this city, and will be here May 17th. One day only. Those afflicted with obstinate diseases of long standing restored to health by a never failing scientific method. Are you suffering with catarrh, anemia, jaundice, eruption on the skin, scrofulous swelling, eczema, pimples, boils, nervousness, sleepless nights, a disordered stomach, with sick headache, and consumption, are you broken down, with cold feet and a loss of nerve force? Do you want to get cured? Diseases of women, irregularities, painful periods, a never failing cure.

Don't wait until you are past help but consult the able Specialist at once. While he is cured many, there are thousands who should go to him and receive advice and treatment that will prolong their lives and make their remaining years, years of happiness.

The doctor is a man of vast hospital and general experience, and treats successfully such diseases as hemorrhoids, piles, rupture, kidney and bladder trouble, varicocele, diseases of women and diseases of men. Do not fail to give the doctor a call and satisfy yourself what your trouble is, and he will frankly tell you if you are curable or not. It will cost you nothing and it will be worth hundreds of dollars.

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There are deep cavities and tunneled recesses in the earth far away from sunlight and held in the tight embrace of rocky strata where secret hoards of glittering ice find habitation all the year round. Yet down in these queer places the ice is as pure and crystalline as any that nature maintains in the open air; moreover, it occurs on a truly grand and massive scale.

Imagine thick underground ice walls and floors and craftily fissured columns beautiful in shape and color streaming from roof to floor of lofty rock chambers! And under the slow drip, drip, drip of percolating water this same ice learns to fashion itself into cave adornments—frozen water drops, curling slopes, stalactites and stalagmites of fantastic shape and rainbow hues.

Subterranean cold waves, or "glaciers," as they are frequently called, crop up in some 300 scattered localities in Europe, Asia and America, but all, with rare exceptions, whether true ice caverns or grottoes and deep hollows, are confined to the north temperate regions of these continents—that is, to places where there is a sufficiently low temperature at some portion of the year to reach freezing point and render snowfall possible.—Pearson's Magazine.

Mythical Creatures of Japan.

The Japanese believe in more mythical creatures than any other people on the globe, civilized or savage. Among them are mythical animals without any remarkable peculiarities of conformation, but gifted with supernatural attributes, such as a tiger which is said to live to be a thousand years old and to turn as white as a polar bear. They also believe in a multitude of animals distinguished mainly by their monstrous size or by the multiplication of their members.

Among these are serpents 800 feet long and large enough to swallow an elephant, foxes with eight legs, monkeys with four ears, fishes with ten heads attached to one body, the flesh of which is a cure for boils. They also believe in the existence of a crane which, after it has reached the age of 600 years, has no need of any sustenance except water.

Costly Drugs.

Unless you are a druggist you have no idea of the value represented by a little shelf in the prescription department of a big drugstore. It is one of the wonders of the world that drugstores do not furnish the same temptation as banks to knights of the chisel. A pound jar of hyoscinine is worth just \$2.24 the world over. Jaborine is a little less presumptuous as to price; it costs \$1.50 a pound and is used to cause perspiration. Ergotine crystals cost the druggist the trifling sum of \$5.00 a pound. They are made from the ergot of rye. Nargenine goes for ergotine crystals one better and costs \$9.80 a pound. It is used as an expectorant in bronchial troubles and as an emetic.

Moon Superstitions.

Almost any old time farmer will tell you a worm fence built in the light of the moon and ascending node will worm around and finally fall down. If you want potatoes during similar phases, they will all go to tops and the tubers will be small and watery. This is the time, however, to plant cucumbers, especially when the sign is in the arms.

The carpenter of former times would not think of putting a shingle roof on a building in the dark of the moon, because the shingles would curl up, pull out the nails and soon leak like a sieve. Neither would he cut timbers for a house nor would he paint it until the sign was right.

Judge Fined Himself.

An English judge, Gwylm Williams, was a great stickler for form in his court, and especially that robes should be worn by solicitors. He was so insistent upon this that one day recently, when he ascended the bench without being duly robed, all in the courtroom knew that he must have been unusually engaged to cause him to neglect the matter. When the judge noticed the lack of his robes, he stopped the court proceedings, made a speech to the solicitors on the absence of his gown and wig and fined himself 11 shillings, which sum he immediately paid into the poor box.—Glasgow Times.

Greatest Battles of History.

Burke in his letter on "Natural Society" says that Sylla destroyed 500,000 men in each of three battles, one being at Cheronia. The Persians are said to have lost 230,000 men at Plataea. II Chronicles XIII, 17, records 500,000 slain on one side, which, however, may not have been in a single battle. I Kings XX, 26, tells of 100,000 men being killed on one side in a single day.

Philial Reporter.

Richard Brinsley Sheridan, who was always distressed for money, was one day hacking his face with a dull razor when he turned to his eldest son and said:

"Tom, if you open any more oysters with my razor I'll cut you off with a shilling."

"Very well, father," said Tom, "but where will you get the shilling?"

A Full House.

Lady Guest—Your father is such a hospitable gentleman! He dearly loves a full house, doesn't he?

Jack—Well, yes—if it happens to be on his side of the table.—Kansas City Journal.

Throughout every part of my career I have felt pinched and hampered by my own ignorance.—Sir Walter Scott.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS.

Their Life Is an Exciting One and Carries Many Responsibilities.

American visitors in Paris, Berlin or Vienna often wonder how and where correspondents do their work. The truth is a large part of their work is done at these very social gatherings where you have met them. Important news is usually there obtainable only. Statesmen and diplomats, generals and admirals, leaders of thought and action, the foremost men of business and the indefatigable promoters of great new ventures—all the men and women, in fact, who make the news and who are the fountain head of it—the correspondent will meet there. It depends on his individual exertions and on his tact and gift of persuasion what use he makes of his opportunities. Being treated as a social equal, it devolves of course on the correspondent to reciprocate favors shown, not in quantity perhaps, but at least in quality. The leading correspondents must have homes of comfort and must throw them open to the official and unofficial world at stated intervals, say three or four times per season. Their private fortunes or their incomes must be large enough to admit that. Their annual expenditures cannot be less than \$5,000 and may exceed \$15,000. The London Times, for instance, pays its correspondents on a liberal scale, salaries of \$5,000 to \$10,000 being the rule. Yet the majority of them find it necessary to make up regular deficiencies in their exchequer out of their own private funds.

The life of the American correspondent on the continent of Europe is a life interesting and fascinating enough in its way, and it broadens the mental horizon as perhaps no other occupation does. But it is a nerve destroying life, a life in which there is scarcely a minute he can call his very own. Every day in the year it spurs its slave on to utmost exertion. It barely pays expenses, and it necessitates constant outlays in time and money which cannot be put down in the expense account and which are a drain on health and purse alike. Even under the most favorable circumstances the game is hardly worth the candle. To go to bed at 2 or 3, fagged out with never ending excitement and toil; to be waked out of a sound sleep an hour later by a ring at the telephone or by inopportune cable inquiries from the home office; to dress hurriedly, take a cab to the nearest telegraph office and there wire a hasty reply; then to return and seek a few hours of fitful sleep and to rise morning after morning unrefreshed, with never repose for body and soul—all this is neither conducive to longevity nor to a quiet and contented mind.—World's Work.

Some Visual Measurements.

"When I watch a new building going up day by day from foundation to flagstaff," said the city salesman, "I get so muddled by the time it is completed that I cannot tell for the life of me whether it is fifty feet wide or 500 feet. So far as mere visual measurements go, the size varies so much in the course of construction that confusion is unavoidable. When the excavation for the foundation is in order the hole in the ground seems so enormous that I could take out a horse and a ten acre lot. After the steel framework goes up the building shrinks amazingly, and I say to myself, 'Well, that isn't going to be such a big affair after all. How could my eyes have deceived me so when looking at the excavation?' But when the walls are finished and the windows in and the decorations all stuck in place the whole building swells out again prodigiously."—New York Times.

Some Foreign Coins.

The franc was formerly called livre (pounds), though the connection with any special weight is not evident. The name of the German coin, mark, meaning a weight of eight ounces, was formerly in general use in Europe. The name of the Italian coin "that corresponds with the franc (franc also means pound). The coins a present use in Spain have their names from other sources.

The five pesera piece, which corresponds with the American dollar, is called escudo shield. "Pesera," the name of the small coin representing the monetary standard means simply "little piece." "Escudo" is from the word meaning "to cut," and was so called because originally the coin was made with an ornamental edge.

Highest Cross in the World.

The highest cross in the world is said to be that which caps the loftiest peak of the Harz mountains. The cross is really a tower, and it commands a magnificent view of the country around. The height of the tower is 120 feet, and it stands on a mountain 1,731 feet above the sea level. A stair of 200 steps leads to the top of the cross, but there is an elevator, of which the people avail themselves who for any reason wish to avoid the long climb.

The Language of the Tuff.

"Couldn't you get your money down or that race?"

"No."

"What was the trouble?"

"I pronounced the name of the horse correctly and the bookmaker couldn't understand me."—Washington Star.

Pretty Decent Husband.

"But you say her marriage to young Higbroller turned out better than was expected?"

"Much better. He hadn't spent more than half her money when they separated."—Brooklyn Life.

The Artist's Aim.

Friend—But—er—what's the idea of the work? I don't quite grasp it.

Artist—The idea is to sell it.—Chicago News.

LET VOYAGERS REJOICE.

French Naval Officer Has Designed an Antisick Boat.

M. Turc, a French naval officer, has invented a boat which, he says, will neither pitch nor roll, and therefore will not cause seasickness. As the roll of a wave rarely lasts longer than ten seconds in a narrow sea like the Mediterranean and fifteen seconds in larger seas like the Atlantic his vessel would have to have a counter roll lasting twenty-two seconds.

The form of the vessel, says a writer in the New York Commercial Advertiser, might be described as a combination of submarine and platform, the latter rising high above the surface of the sea. In the submarine, 300 feet long, 75 feet broad and 12 feet deep, would be placed the boilers, engines and steering gear, which would be submerged to a depth of twelve feet. From the submarine would rise vertically two floaters 200 feet long and ten feet broad, lying parallel at a distance of sixty-five feet from each other. Communication would be maintained by these floaters between the submarine and the platform, containing a cabin at a height of thirty feet above the water.

This craft would have a displacement of 6,300 tons and would be propelled at a speed of nineteen knots an hour by engines of 16,000 horsepower.

LATEST CAR FENDER.

Safety of Pedestrians Seems Assured by a German's Invention.

An electric car fender on a new principle has been invented by a German and has been tried with success in Breslau, says the New York Evening Post. The apparatus consists of a sort of brush formed of twelve rows of rattan placed under the front platform. It requires no action whatever from the motorman.

In the tests a dead deer weighing fifty kilograms was experimented with and then a large dog. In each case the obstacle was placed first with the feet toward the car and then with the back, and the car was driven at it at all speeds and braked at the moment of collision.

The body of the deer was pushed for eight or nine meters. The legs were pushed up against the body, and the collision had no serious effect. In the first test made on the dog the animal was pushed four and one-half meters. The legs were pressed up against the body, but no injury resulted from the blow. In the second instance the dog was thrown 7.7 meters and turned over three times.

The body was then examined, but it could not be seen that it had suffered any injury or damage whatever in its general condition.

Odds and Ends of Science

Probably the oldest dyestuff known to men is indigo, says the Pittsburg Gazette. It might be too much to say that Noah's garments were colored with it, but it is hardly to be doubted that Joseph's coat of many colors owed at least a good part of its brilliancy to the use of this common article. Indigo has been found in the Egyptian pyramids, in the ruined cities of Babylonia and in the shops and houses of Pompeii.

Fusibility of Alloys.
Alloys are usually more fusible than the least fusible metal contained, and they are almost always heavier or denser than the average of their uncombined constituents. A remarkable exception to both rules is an alloy of 18.87 per cent of aluminum and 81.13 per cent of antimony. Both metals melt at about 650 degrees C., while the alloy requires a heat of 1,080 degrees C., and the specific gravity of the latter is only 4.218 instead of 5.225, which it would be if there were no change of volume.

One Cure For Baldness.
Some cases of baldness can be cured by lactic acid. Dr. Balzer, in the Medical Times, recommends friction of the bald part daily with a 30 per cent solution of lactic acid until the skin becomes inflamed. The treatment is discontinued until the local irritation subsides, when it is begun again.

The Most Delicate Scale.
The most delicate scale is made by fixing one end of a fine thread of glass. The atom to be weighed is placed at the free end and the degree of the bending of the thread under its weight. This has to be done under a glass which magnifies 100 times.

A French Soldier's Invention.
A device for suppressing sound and smoke has been provided for the ordinary rifle by a French soldier. It consists essentially of a steel tube about thirty inches long, with several partitions having orifices slightly larger than the bore of the gun, and this tube is attached in front of the muzzle by a bayonet clamp whenever its use is desired. On firing the gun the gases are retarded by each partition in turn, finally escaping without sound or smoke. With a knife at the end the auxiliary tube can be made to serve as a bayonet.

For the Removal of Tattoos.
Those who have been tattooed and who regret it may, says a writer in Cosmos, succeed in ridding themselves of these marks by the following process: Pour on the tattooed portion a concentrated solution of tannin, then by means of a needle analogous to that of the tattooer prick the surface and then rub hard with a nitrate of silver pencil. There is formed a slough which falls at the end of fourteen or eighteen days, and the operation leaves only a slight scar, which at the end of two months is invisible.

FARM GARDEN

RAPE AS A FORAGE CROP.

It Has High Feeding Value For Pasturing Sheep and Hogs.

Rape is much like the Swedish turnip in appearance, but the root is more like cabbage. The leaves are large and smooth, the flowers bright yellow, seed pods usually two inches long, with seed black and globular. The plant reaches a height of from one and a half to four feet, and the roots penetrate the soil to a considerable depth.

The rape most used in America is of the winter or biennial variety. Dwarf Essex or English is the most widely cultivated. Dwarf Victoria has recently given excellent results in New England and the northwest. In this country rape is grown almost exclusively for soiling and summer and winter pasturage.

Rape is best adapted to rather cool, moist climates, such as prevail in portions of Canada and the northern United States. It can, however, be successfully grown as a forage crop in many of the warmer and drier sections.

In the northern states the biennial rape will not survive the winter, hence does not produce seed. In the south it may be grown as a fall or winter forage. The annual varieties used for the production of oil form seed the first year, but these kinds are not suitable for forage.

In favorable seasons or with a small amount of irrigation excellent crops of rape are grown in Wyoming, Montana, the Dakotas and other states in the so-called semiarid region, and many instances are on record where good crops have been produced without irrigation under conditions of drought so severe as to cause the failure of corn and other farm crops. In the middle south rape cannot compete with crimson clover for forage.

Throughout the northern states generally seedling may take place from the first week in May to the middle or last of July, according to the season and locality. In the south the seed may be sown in September or early in October. Under favorable conditions two to three pounds of seed per acre will be sufficient, and it will never be necessary to use more than five pounds per acre.—A. S. Hitchcock.

Box For Tying Wool.
The accompanying illustration will give an idea of a tying box sketched by an American Agriculturist writer. It is made of inch lumber. The boards A A are hinged to a central board of the same width and swing up and hook to a head block C, after wool is laid on table. B is of leather twelve inches wide, with slits to allow for tying. This leather is a foot longer than the bottom board and has a bar in one end and a chain which is brought over and hooked on the hook in lever D. This gives greater leverage, and the notches in leg of horn hold it.

The Hen the American Bird.
The hen is a sweet, empered, hard working, productive creature. She is identified with our home life and our domestic and national prosperity. She lays \$29,000,000 worth of eggs every year, or four and a fraction eggs for each individual in the land. When the eagle is loafing around waiting to steal something to eat, the modest hen is attending to business, and after a life of activity, laying eggs, cocking, laying more eggs and hatching little chicks, she gives up her life that the American boarding house may thrive and wax fat.

A Practical Weed War.
In Canada they begin at the beginning in the eradication of weeds. Dr. Fletcher tells that in the schools of Manitoba the children are taught to know and name the thirty commonest weeds on their fathers' farms and tell whether they are yearly, two year or many year plants.

Things That Are Said.
The southern farmer's garden is often located out in the field somewhere beyond the range of the chickens. Br'er Rabbit first suggested this method, and Satan suggested it to Br'er Rabbit.

The farmer who raises hogs to the full capacity of his farm will prosper if he sells nothing but hogs.

The sheep man has plenty of time for reflection. It is a business that doesn't work a man to death.

The future belongs to the laboring man.

The genuine attar of roses, like the best olive oil, will freeze, affording proof of its purity.

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"KEEP YOUR MOUTH SHUT"

People Who Say Little and Drink Less "Get There" Oftener.

"Help me to catch him, mister," said the small boy as he dashed by in panting pursuit of his juvenile enemy.

"Keep your mouth shut, and you'll catch him," advised the man, and the boy understood in an instant and, understanding, closed his mouth and ran on, easily running down the object of his pursuit, who had been running open mouthed and was soon doubled up with a stitch in his side.

There is a good deal in keeping your mouth shut. There are more people in the world who never open a mouth without putting a foot in it than you have any idea of. You may be a fool, but if you keep your mouth shut who's to know it? Generally you can size up the fellows who'll get there, are getting there or have got there by the way their lower jaw hangs. You may occasionally meet a wise man wandering around with his mouth open, but not as a usual thing.

It's what people say and drink chiefly that cause them to appear before the police magistrate. If they had kept their mouths shut, they would not have said it or drunk it. More foolish fish are caught with hooks in the mouth than through the tail. The fellow who goes around with his mouth open may catch a few flies in the aperture, but he isn't likely to catch anything very valuable that way. It's the fellow who sets his teeth and consequently shuts his mouth who gets there.—Toronto Star.

The Cipher.

It has not been definitely established that zero was in use earlier than 400 A. D. About this time it was used in India, and several centuries later the Arabs began to employ it. Through the Arabs its use became known to Europeans during the twelfth century.

It was not generally adopted in Europe until several centuries later, notwithstanding its great advantages. For a considerable time there were two parties among the European educators. One party, known as the algorists, favored the adoption of the Hindoo system of notation (falsely called Arabic), with its position values, while the other, known as the abacists, favored the Roman notation, without zero or position value.

The general adoption of the Hindoo system was greatly facilitated by the facts that it was explained in most of the calendars for more than a century, beginning with 1300, and that the medieval universities frequently offered courses devoted to the use of this notation.—G. A. Miller in Science.

The Artist and the Woman.

Every actress is sensitively alive to the pleasure of a warm reception—that being the technical term for the applause with which the audience greets the first appearance of an artist before any word has been spoken. Generally speaking, it signifies a courteous greeting corresponding to a lifted hat and pleasant salutation. But on occasions when the actress is a special favorite the reception, enthusiastic and long continued, becomes a demonstration which is inartistic and destructive of the illusion of the play, since it drags the actress out of her part and in her bowing, curtsying and smiling she becomes Miss Jones or Miss Morris returning thanks to the public. A woman would not be human who did not enjoy to the last drop of her blood just such a greeting, even though her artistic sense condemned it.—McClure's.

Animals Are Sensitive.

"The fact that a horse is sensitive to ridicule," said a student of the biological department of the University of Pennsylvania, "may easily be demonstrated. Take, for instance, the case of a horse that is eating out of a nosebag. If you stand in front of such a horse, attract his attention, and then, with loud laughter, mock his way of feeding, he will stop, with a look of embarrassment and shame, and he will not resume his meal until you are gone away."

"Dogs also object to being laughed at. Make fun of them and they will cease whatever they are doing. It is only when they are in a fight that they will remain impervious to the shafts of mockery."—Philadelphia Post.

The Human Body.

A pupil in a village school who had been requested to write an essay on the human body, handed in the following: "The human body consists of the head, thorax, abdomen and legs. The head contains the brains, the case there are any. The thorax contains the heart and lungs; also the liver and lights. The abdomen contains the bowels, of which there are five—a, e, i, o, u and sometimes w and y. The legs extend from the abdomen to the floor and have hinges at the top and middle to enable a fellow to sit when standing or to stand when sitting."

Worth More.

Customer (in art gallery)—Ten dollars is a high price for that picture. It's nothing but a man smoking a pipe.

Dealer—Yes, but look at that pipe, my dear sir. It's genuine meerschaum, beautifully colored and extra large size. You couldn't buy that pipe alone for less than \$15.—Chicago Tribune.

How Maude Gets Experienced.

Irene—Is Maude really going to marry that snappy youth?

Emil—Mercy, no! She is only engaged to him. You see, poor, dear Maude has never been engaged before, and she thinks she ought to practice a little before entering into it seriously.—New Yorker.

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The Ram Feast.

In Morocco the strange season of the Mohammedan new year, beginning March 9, is generally called "Ait-el-Hanweia," the ram feast. The people of Morocco pay more elaborate attention to the item of sacrifice than any other Moslems. In every town a supreme offering of a ram or he goat takes place at the door of the principal mosque. Immediately after it is struck by the official imam in presence of the multitude it is flung on the shoulders of a stalwart Moor, who, exerting his utmost strength, runs like a deer through the narrow streets, pursued by a rabble. The poor animal is pelted with stones by boys and is jeered at with execrations from every house, as it is reputed to be carrying the sins of the people. The man rushes along with his burden till he reaches the door of the cad's palace. If the animal is still breathing, the augury is excellent, for good luck is to be expected all through the year. But if the ram is dead all sorts of evil prognostications are muttered.

The Charitable Americans.

The Americans are looked upon by the peoples of Europe as the most wasteful persons in the world, and they do spend their money with a freedom unknown elsewhere because they have the money to spend. But with all their apparent carelessness there is no country in the world nor is there record of any in which the people devote so much to the welfare of the unfortunate and the wretched. The practice has become a habit and is looked upon rightly enough as an obligation. No one can free himself from it. Every one has a neighbor somewhere, and he will not fulfill his obligation merely by denying himself of some luxury or pleasure unless the self denial benefits his unfortunate neighbor.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Maud—Last night Jack told me that he wouldn't marry the best girl living, unless—what—unless she took Rocky Mountain Tea. Sensible fellow. 35 cents. Johnson & Hill Co.

The Amphitheatre donated to the University of California by William Randolph Hearst, in which President Roosevelt will speak when he goes to Berkeley, seems to be a superb gift. As everybody knows, Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst, the mother of Representative Hearst, has given one million dollars to the University of California, and is devoting her time to the supervising of plans and details in the development of this great institution. Mrs. Hearst, by the way, is the only woman Regent in the United States. Mr. Hearst's Amphitheatre is modeled after those of the ancient Greeks. It will cost one hundred thousand dollars when completed. It will contain nine sections of seats, each section to have more than twenty tiers. They will be on a steep incline and will seat eight thousand persons. Around the top a broad walk will furnish standing room for two thousand more persons. Below the tier-seats will be a platform level with the stage provided with seats. The Amphitheatre will accommodate in all fourteen thousand persons.

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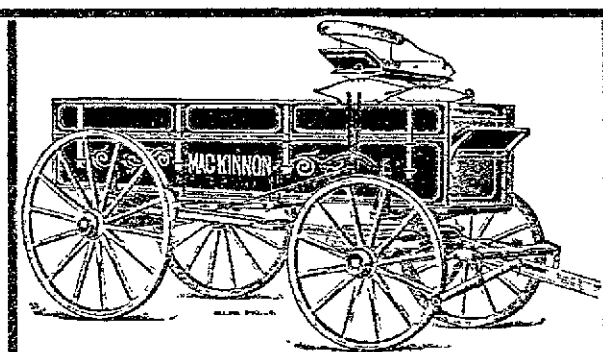
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BRIEF CITY ITEMS

Couldn't Stand Prosperity.—Joe Gardner, who had been spending a thirty day term in the county jail for assault and battery, was released last Thursday, but acquiring another jag on Friday he was arrested again. As his reformation had not been as complete as a sentence in jail is supposed to make tracks for another part of the country, which he did. While Joe had been in jail he had been sober and being industrious while sober he had continued to work at his trade of tailor, and the result was he came out at the end of the thirty days with quite a bunch of money, a new suit of clothes, and as he expressed it "The best dressed man in Grand Rapids." Upon his release, however, one of the first things he did was to sell his new suit and proceed to turn the money into whiskey, and the consequence was that Joe left town looking much the same as he did when he came.

Base Ball at the Point.—The home team played a game of ball at Stevens Point on Sunday which resulted in a score of 7 to 7 at the close of the eighth inning, at which time there was a slight difference of opinion between the umpire and the home boys which resulted in the discontinuance of the game. The boys state that they got the worst of the deal all the way thru and on account of rank decision left the field three times, the last time settling the matter. The boys state that the decisions of the umpire were probably the result of ignorance of the rules on the game rather than viciousness of his part. The Stevens Point team plays here next Sunday, when the home boys promise to put up a game that will keep the visitors guessing all the way thru.

A Nice Entertainment.—The musical given by the school children on Friday evening under the supervision of Miss Reeves was a most enjoyable affair from start to finish, and illustrated very forcibly what can be accomplished in music in the public schools. Those who attended the entertainment last year and also the one last Friday night were able to notice remarkable improvement in the work done by the pupils. The piece in Brownie costume was probably the one most appreciated by the greater part of the audience and the little ones seemed to enter into the spirit of the affair with great gusto. The opera house was filled to the doors with the audience that assembled.

County Training School.—M. H. Jackson of Columbus has been engaged as principal of the county training school at a salary of \$1800 per annum. Mr. Jackson has been superintendent of schools at Columbus and is an experienced man and considered to be thoroughly competent to handle the matter properly. The officers of the new training school are as follows: E. P. Arpin, president; W. D. Connor of Marshfield, treasurer; and Robert Morris, county superintendent, secretary. The school will begin operations this fall at the opening of the school year.

Planting Pike.—The fish car Radger was in the city on Thursday and unloaded nine cans of pike fry for parties in this city. The fish were planted at different points along the Wisconsin river. With the number of fry that are planted in the river and with those that were bred there by natural means it would seem as if there would be an abundance of fish to satisfy the most fastidious angler. It is probable that if those who indulge in illegal fishing were restrained there would be a considerable increase in the number of fish caught by anglers.

Body Found.—The body of Genevieve Kitchman was found floating in the river on Saturday afternoon about half a mile below the Northwestern railroad bridge. A constant watch had been kept along the river and it is probable that the body had been floating only a short time when it was discovered. The remains were interred the same evening and a large cortege of friends followed to the cemetery. On Sunday funeral services were held at the Methodist church, Rev. W. A. Peterson officiating.

Broke a Pump.—One of the pumps at the pumping station broke down on Friday, wrecking one of the gear wheels and doing some other damage. Engineer Pfeiffer says the trouble was probably caused by a cog breaking from one of the gear wheels and getting between the wheels. Luckily one of the workmen were present at the time and stopped the motor at once so that no further damage was done. The cost of repairs will probably be about seventy-five dollars.

Work on the Bridge.—The bridge builders have been making pretty good progress in the reconstruction of the bridge in spite of the fact that they have been hampered with high water, numerous rains, a swift current and almost continuous heavy winds. The false work has been about completed under the east half of the bridge and is being carried forward as rapidly as possible.

Negro Got 18 Months.—James Sublett, the negro bootblack from Marshfield, who was found guilty last week of assaulting with intent to kill, was on Tuesday sentenced to 18 months in the state prison. This length of time will probably give the young fellow a chance to decide that it is not a good idea to be a working man a convict.

Failed to Score.—The track team of Grand Rapids, which went to Stevens Point on Saturday to play basketball, failed to score a point.

Appleton on Saturday to take part in the meet that was held in that city. The local team failed to score a point in the events. Wausau was first. The team contains some fairly good material this year but the boys do not seem to be getting down to business in proper shape.

Dedication of High School.—The new high school dedication has been set for the 26 of May. It is proposed to have appropriate ceremonies for the occasion and a number of speakers will be in attendance to give the new building a proper sendoff.

Marriage Licenses.—The following marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk during the past week: Theodore Gardner of Wausau to Rose Heindl of Grand Rapids. R. J. Polley of Baraboo to Lula Waterman of Nekeosa.

Chapel Car Meetings.

The meetings at the Chapel car at the Wisconsin Central depot are continuing and interest is growing. Last week a special spur track was built for the car and it makes a very comfortable meeting place. Crowds were turned away Sunday evening. Rev. C. H. Rust, the manager and preacher, says that he hopes to have a larger place for the meeting next Sunday evening. There will be meetings every night this week in the car. This is but one of six cars sent out by the Baptists of this country. The Baptist churches make a large and influential body of christians, numbering about four and one-half million in the United States.

Meetings will not continue every night next week, but on Wednesday night, May 27th, there will be a meeting for the public in the Chapel car. Mr. Rust announces that the nature of this meeting will be an inquiry into the belief of the Baptist church. He would like to have people send in any questions concerning the Baptist church which they would like to. On Friday evening, May 29th, Rev. D. W. Hulbert, the secretary of the Wis. State Baptist convention will be here and take charge of a meeting looking toward the organization of a Baptist church in Grand Rapids.

Blue Rock Scores.

The following scores were made by the members of the gun club on Sunday:
First event—Mosher 23, Drumb 22, C. Boles 3, Mason 18, Scott 20, Nash 22, Conway 13, Church 16.
Second event—Mosher 21, Drumb 22, Mason 15, Scott 21, Nash 12.
Third event—Nash 19, Scott 21, Mosher 24, Mason 20.
A number also got out the previous Friday and made some pretty good scores, they being as follows:
First event—J. C. Marsh 22, Brown 23, Mason 19, Nash 17, Scott 21, Dr. Harvey 20, Conway 15.
Second event—Marsh 20, Brown 22, Mason 21, Nash 19, Scott 22, Harvey 20, Conway 15.
Third event—Marsh 25, Brown 22, Mason 23, Nash 21, Scott 25, Conway 17.

The Event of the Season.

Hi Henry's Big Minstrel on May 22nd. Fifty all white. Suburb military band, big St. Bernard dog, valued at \$5,000, new latest locomobile, will take the streets at noon on Friday, May 22 and herald the appearance of this Big Double City show at the opera house on Friday night. A fine evening concert of classic music will precede the performance. Seats now on sale, special prices 25, 35 and 50 cts, a few choice seats 75 cts.

Attention Ladies.

Free illustrated lecturer to ladies at G. A. R. Hall, East Grand Rapids, at 3 p. m. Friday, Saturday and Monday May 22, 23 and 25 by Mrs. Pearson of the Wisconsin Viatic Co., Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Subjects, "Woman," "Nerves," "Girls." Ladies may see Mrs. Pearson afterwards at Mrs. M. J. Belanger's, East Side.

Traveling is Dangerous.

Constant motion jars the kidneys which are kept in place in the body by delicate attachments. This is the reason that travelers, trainmen, street car men, teamsters and all who drive very much, suffer from kidney disease in some form. Foley's Kidney Cure strengthens the kidneys and cures all forms of kidney and bladder disease. Geo. E. Hanson, locomotive engineer Lima, O., writes, "Constant vibration of the engine caused me a great deal of trouble with my kidneys, and I got no relief until I used Foley's Kidney Cure." Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

Unclaimed Letters.

East Side: W. J. Brisbane, H. E. Davis, Jorgen Halyorson, A. Jacobs, Nelson Marceaux, John Pospisical, C. S. Ray, Paul Rusostz, Alopy Schlze, John Wackler, Mrs. S. W. Delaney, Mrs. J. Kilday, Mrs. Emma Kaylor, Flora Kock, Louisa, Langer, Louise Lokkloske.

Congregational Church.

Rev. Shaw's subject next Sunday morning at the First Congregational Church will be "The difficulty of the Christian Life." Evening "Baccalaureate Sermon."

No Loss of Time.

I have sold Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for years, and would rather buy out of coffee any sugar than it. I sold five bottles of it yesterday to threshers that could get no farther, and they are at work this morning.—H. R. PHILLIPS, Plymouth, Oklahoma. As will be seen by the above the threshers were able to keep on with their work with out losing a single day's time. You should keep a bottle of this Remedy in your home. For sale by Johnson & Hill Co. and Wood County Drug Co.

But Make no United Effort to Get the Service.

A number of the farmers of Rudolph are still talking telephone but as yet there has been no united effort to secure it. It is estimated that to build a line to Rudolph and put in the number of branches that would be necessary to reach those who might want the service would necessitate the building of about 12 miles of line. A fair line can be constructed for about \$65 per mile, so that the twelve miles of line would cost in the neighborhood of \$1,400. The Wood county telephone company is willing to give the farmers telephones at the regular rate if they will build their own line, but do not propose to build the lines for the Rudolph people. There is no question but what a telephone system to that town would prove of great convenience to the people out there and in time would receive a great deal of business.

Quick Arrest.

J. A. Gullidge of Verbena, Ala. was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed. Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c. at John E. Daly, Druggist.

Want Column.

ADVERTISEMENTS will be published in this column at the rate of 5 cents per line; no ad taken for less than 10 cents. If you want to buy, sell or trade anything, try the want column.
FOR RENT.—Furnished rooms. Mrs. Collier West side.
FOR SALE.—The old Congregational church property will be vacated on June 1st by the school department, at which time it will be for sale; also have an outfit of stoves, consisting of heating stoves, and ranges, also an Emerson riding pony and harness. Inquire of E. P. Arpin.
MONEY TO LOAN—C. E. Boles.
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SHORT LOCALS
—Hi Henry's Big City Minstrels May 22.
Charles Dixon made a business trip to Wausau on Friday.
Miss Kate Smith spent Sunday with her parents at Nekoosa.
J. E. Ingraham of Babcock was in the city on Tuesday on business.
Chas. Ecklund is in Dakota for a few weeks looking over the country.
Miss Kate Tucker of Nekoosa was the guest of friends here over Sunday.
Mrs. Charles Laramie visited relatives and friends in Marshfield last week.
Mrs. James Chamberlain is seriously ill, being threatened with typhoid fever.
John Andrew was called to Babcock on Saturday by the sickness of his brother.
The town of Grand Rapids has purchased a new Austin & Western road machine.
Postmaster John Cole of Marshfield was in the city last Thursday on legal business.
L. M. Nash made a business trip to Milwaukee last week, returning home on Friday.
T. A. Lipke left on Tuesday on a business to Rhineland expecting to return today.
The Adam Forepaugh—Sells Bros. consolidated circus will show in Wausau June 20th.
—Great discount on watches and chains at Hirzy, the jeweler for the next ten days.
Mrs. I. Baruch went to Merrill on Sunday to visit with relatives, returning on Monday.
Attorney A. E. Germer of Dexter-ville was in the city to attend the tax sale on Tuesday.
A brand new baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Kostka on Friday.
A. H. Dustin visited friends in Stevens Point a few days the latter part of last week.
C. O. Baker of Milwaukee was in the city on Tuesday to attend the tax sale and visit friends.
W. C. McGlynn has removed his family to this city from Pittsville and will reside on the east side.
The Elks and K. Ps will hold one of their social hops at their hall on Thursday evening, May 21st.
Abner Whitman and Ernest Hall went to Stevens Point on Tuesday to attend the funeral of C. A. Hall.
Chauncey Arnold and son Willis of Marshfield were in the city on Tuesday in attendance at the tax sale.
J. McCarthy & Co. have installed a three horse-power electric motor in their meatmarket on the west side.
Mrs. Frank Sheehan of Portage has been in the city the past week visiting with relatives and friends.
James Nash and Geo. Corriveau were down from Ghidoni over Sunday to visit their relatives and friends.
Mrs. John A. Gaynor left this noon for Madison, expecting to be absent until Monday visiting with friends.
Mrs. H. Yout of Milwaukee, who had been in the city several days on business, returned home on Friday.
William Scott came down from Port Arthur on Friday to spend a few days with his family in this city.
Clarence Demars of Stevens Point spent Saturday and Sunday in this city and Port Edwards visiting friends.
John L. Voelker of Marshfield was in the city today attending a meeting of the county committee on printing.
C. H. Wood, oil inspector for this district, made a trip to Marshfield on Tuesday in the discharge of his duties.
Miss Olivia Hahn of Marshfield was in the city a few days the latter part of last week visiting friends and relatives.
Rev. George Gibson has been quite sick the past week with erysipelas but his many friends hope for an early recovery.
Officer James Gibson has been laid up for several days the past week and his place has been filled by Joseph Vincent.
—The most wonderful acrobats in the world, the Renzetta Troupe, with Hi Henry Minstrels at the Opera House on Friday, May 22d.
Burt Furrer, who has resided at Nekoosa for some time past, removed his family to this city the past week and will reside here.
Sydney Denis returned last week from Marshfield where he had been assisting in the drug store of Sexton Bros. for two weeks.
George LeBrecht has taken the local agency for the Rader Brewing company of Wausau, John Hannum having resigned.
The Misons of Merrill are going to build a temple in that city to cost \$12,000. The first floor will be a double store with basement.
Addie, the nine-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chrystal of Saratoga, died on Sunday. The funeral was held on Tuesday.
Mrs. Bertin Ramsay of Appleton has been the guest of Mrs. F. MacKinnon the past week. Mr. Ramsey was also up to spend Sunday.
St. Catherine's Guild meets next Friday at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Geo. E. Hoskinson. All members of the guild are requested to be present.
—Don't fail to look over the handsome display of watches and chains which A. P. Hirzy has on hand and which he is selling at a great discount.
—If you are looking for work in the line of painting, paperhanging and decorating, you should consult Laramie & Guthrie, two artists in their profession.

The legislature has wisely reduced the pay of its chaplains from \$25 to \$15 a week. Money invested in legislative prayers is thrown away. We know that this will shock a good many good people; but it will not shock the Madison clergymen, who have had a better chance than the other good people to observe just what effect their prayers have had.—Milwaukee Free Press.

Cashier Edward L. Reese, of the First National bank of Marshfield, was in the city on Tuesday for a few hours, during which he favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call. Mr. Reese had been subpoenaed as witness in a lawsuit, but when he got here discovered that the matter had been settled out of court without anything being said to him, so that his trip was for nothing.

Excursions rates to interscholastic athletic meet at Madison, Wis., via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates for trains reaching Madison after 12:00 o'clock noon of Thursday, May 28, all day May 29 and for trains arriving at Madison not later than 1:30 p. m. on Saturday, May 30, limited to return until June 2, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Three of the state senators were on the verge of resigning last week because the assembly failed to look in the same light at a bill that had been passed by the senate, and turned the measure down. But before they had got their resignation handed in they changed their minds and decided to stay with the big show. Probably they came to a realization of the fact that nobody would have cared a cuss if they had resigned, which of course took all the fun out of it.

A Birthday Party.
Mr. and Mrs. F. MacKinnon on Tuesday evening entertained a large number of relatives and a few friends at a party given in honor of Mr. MacKinnon's birthday. After cards followed the reading of an original and beautiful poem by Mrs. Geo. Gibson which brought tears to the eyes of many of the guests, next came the presentation of gifts unique and appropriate to the occasion. Mr. MacKinnon was greatly surprised and entirely unprepared for such a demonstration but he bore himself manfully and responded in a neat and graceful manner altho visibly affected. Later in the company proceeded to the dining room where refreshments were served. The "piece de resistance" a cake of massive proportions and decorated with the requisite number of candles occupying the center of the table, was much admired. It was a

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A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Mead, Mrs. Geo. W. Paulus, Misses Edith Nash, Floy Phillee, Ella Hasbrouck, Kate Andrews, Guy Nash and James Nash spent Saturday at Birch Lodge near Nekoosa where a very pleasant time was had.

The members of the Historical and Literary society will hold a reception on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fontaine on Friday evening. A number of friends of the members will also be present. It will be in honor of Miss Floy Phillee.

G. T. Tristram, the new dentist who has located over the postoffice on the west side, is gradually getting his fixtures into shape and will soon be ready for business in his line. His business card will be found among the professional men in another column.

Dr. F. D. Humphrey, who has spent the past month in the city of New York taking a post graduate course, returned to his home in this city on Tuesday. The doctor reports himself as greatly pleased with his labors while away and considers that his time was well spent.

At a speech before an audience at San Jose, Cal., on Tuesday President Roosevelt made the statement that the United States would soon rule the Pacific. A good many had been laboring under the impression that we already run things about to suit us on that body of water.

Grant Babcock, who is employed at North Fond du Lac by the Wisconsin Central Company, came to this city the fore part of the week and has been engaged in getting his household goods in readiness for moving. He expects to remove his family to North Fond du Lac the latter part of the week.

L. H. LeBrecht, violin, L. J. Peyruse, mandolin, J. Robinson, harp guitar, and D. L. Ellis, cello, of Grand Rapids, comprising the "Big Four Orchestra," are making music better than "mother used to make." They are out for a tour of the state and are making a specialty of dance music.—Wausau Record.

Professors Sandsten and Whitson of the University of Wisconsin arrived in the city on Monday evening. These two gentlemen are going to carry on the experiments on the cranberry marshes for which an appropriation was recently made by the state. Their investigations will be made in the vicinity of Cranmoor.

"Bud" Harkins, of Marshfield, who has been in Alaska for the past several years, was crowned Sunday in the White Horse Rapids on the Yukon. The body will be brought back to Marshfield for burial. Mr. Harkins had several productive mines in that country and his industry and business foresight had been well rewarded.

The town of Almond, Portage county has made an application to Judge Webb for the appointment of commissioners to review the assessment of that county. It is understood that there are a number of other towns dissatisfied with the equalization made by the county board. The commissioners must be appointed from outside the county.

Hi Henry's Big City Minstrels, who fill a spare date Friday, May 22nd, at the opera house is now the largest minstrel show in the world, the same identical company that recently appeared in New York City, Boston, and they come direct from Eau Claire en route to Wausau, stopping here in order to interchange their special train in which they travel.

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Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago & North-Western Railway for the occasions named below:
Los Angeles, May 21st to 23d, Presbyterian General Assembly.
Indianapolis, Ind., June 9th to 14th, Travelers' Protective Association.
Indianapolis, Ind., June 17th to 24th, Modern Woodmen of America.
Boston, July 6th to 10th, National Educational Association.
Saratoga Springs, N. Y., July 7th to 10th, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.
Denver, July 9th to 13th, United Christian Endeavor.
Detroit, Mich., July 16th to 19th, Epworth League.
Baltimore, Md., July 21st to 25d, B. P. O. E.
San Francisco, August 17th to 22d, G. A. R. meeting.
Baltimore, Md., Sept. 21st to 26th, Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.
For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon the ticket agent of the North-Western Line.

Arrested for Burglary.
Joseph Legendre was brought to this city from Babcock on Monday and placed in jail there being a charge against him of burglary, preferred by E. Lombard of Babcock.
Legendre is charged with having entered three saloons at Babcock and stole some money and a quantity of cigars. He is said to have had an accomplice, who is still at large.

Bryan's View on Immortality.
The February National Magazine reprints from a new book, "The Proofs of Life After Death," this expression of the views of William Jennings Bryan on immortality:
"I shall not believe that this life is extinguished. If the father designs to touch with divine power the cold and pulseless heart of the buried acorn, and makes it burst forth from its prison walls, will He leave neglected in the earth the soul of man, who was made in the image of his creator? If He stoops to give to the rosebud, whose withered blossoms float upon the breeze, the sweet assurance of another springtime, will He withhold the words of hope from the sons of men when the frosts of winter come? If matter, mute and inanimate, though changed by the forces of nature into a multitude of forms, can never die, will the imperial Spirit of

Watch Your Shoulders.
When standing before a looking glass, notice if your shoulders are the same height. Generally the right is higher than the left. The reason for this unevenness lies in the way one sits. You get into a comfortable chair at your desk, and at once you rest your right elbow on the arm of your chair or your desk, thus throwing one shoulder higher than the other. This is especially the case where one writes a great deal. When you notice that one shoulder is higher than the other, the thing to do is to change your way of sitting at your desk. Two simple exercises will be beneficial. The arm of the lower shoulder should be extended upward, the hand grasping a dumbbell. That of the higher shoulder should be lowered and made to support a heavy weight.

English Brass.
The composition of English brass is about seventy parts of copper and thirty of zinc. "Prince Rupert's metal" contains 75 to 80 per cent of copper and on account of its golden color is employed to some extent in jewelry.
The kind of brass called tombac contains still more copper, nearly eighty-five parts in a hundred. It is the alloy used for the manufacture of what is called Dutch metal, an imitation of gold leaf. It can be rolled into sheets, and these can be beaten out till they are only fifty-three thousandths of an inch in thickness.—Chambers' Journal.

Two Sides to It.
Wife—It's hateful of you not to give me the bonnet I want. Ah, me! If you only knew how much I have to put up with!
Husband—Huh! If you only knew how little I have to put up with, you wouldn't ask me to put up for a bonnet.—Philadelphia Press.

A Versifier.
Scribbler—Would you call yourself a poet or simply a versifier?
Scrawler—Well, when the editor lights his pipe with my stuff it's a case of verse afire.—Philadelphia Record.

Prices Talk

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Underwear the 50c Kind Only 35c	From the first day our sale jumped with popular favor and from the long line of satisfied customers who leave our store each day with goods, up-to-date and seasonable merchandise, we are satisfied we	15c Linen Collars 10c
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\$2 Pants \$1.25	Greatest Bargain Events ever given in Grand Rapids	The Best 50c Shirt in Grand Rapids 39c
Children's Suits at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 \$2 and \$2.50 Worth Double.	You Can't afford to miss this Peerless opportunity where you get as much as you pay for.	50c Work Shirts 35c
Men's 35c and 25c Underwear 15c	Men's \$ 5.00 Suits..... \$2.50 Men's 6.00 Suits..... 3.00 Men's 7.00 Suits..... 3.50 Men's 8.00 Suits..... 4.00 Men's 10.00 Suits..... 6.50 Men's 12.00 Suits..... 8.00 Men's 15.00 Suits..... 12.00 Men's 16.00 Suits..... 13.00 Men's 18.00 Suits..... 13.50	The Best 50c Overalls 39c
Handkerchiefs at Half Value		Elgin Shirts in Soft or Stiff Bosom \$1.00 Everywhere Our Price 69c
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MR. LANCASTER was a man of simple tastes, and upon returning to the city after an absence of two years he took up his residence in a quiet boarding house. The house was commodious, well kept and in the highest degree respectable.

He was returning to the house just before dinner when he saw approaching him a rat eyed fellow of a very mean appearance, who immediately upon catching sight of Lancaster dodged into a nook beside some stone steps and proceeded to make queer and cautious gestures that were evidently meant for signals. It was perfectly plain that these could not be intended for any other eyes than Lancaster's, and the obvious inference was that the odious rascal mistook him for somebody else.

The incident was made the more peculiar by the fact that just as Lancaster came to his landlady's gate a man whose appearance was quite similar to the other's passed by with a hasty, shuffling step, and, without turning his head or even his glance in Lancaster's direction, as a human being who had a communication to make might have been expected to do, he whispered:

"I suppose you saw Quirk up the street?"

He paused for no reply, but shuffled away before Lancaster could recover from his surprise.

Meditating upon this strange matter, Lancaster entered the little yard that is before the house and ascended the two broad stone steps that lead up to its portal. He was fumbling mechanically for his latchkey when the door was suddenly opened and a young woman in street costume came out. She moved with the quick grace of youth; she was a creature all alive, radiant and vivid, and she was so amazingly, stunningly beautiful that Lancaster forgot everything else in the world. He had been mistaken for some sort of objectionable character by two worthless rascals who were total strangers to him, but if they had been his most familiar associates and nearest blood relatives and had taken him for the horned devil in broad daylight he would not have given the matter a thought in the presence of this girl.

She started slightly at the sight of him, but was passing on toward the gate when he found his voice.

"Miss Harwood!" he called in a tone which betrayed the fact that he was making an experiment.

The young woman turned quickly. "I knew it must be you," he exclaimed, "though I hadn't seen you since you were a little girl. Of course you can't remember me—er—Lancaster—Harry Lancaster; you were only four years old."

"Indeed I remember you very well," said she, and instinctively she put her right hand up to the side of her face.

He marked the gesture, of which the girl was quite unconscious, and there was a sudden gleam in his gray eyes.

"So you remember that?" said he. "How lasting are the painful impressions of childhood! And they are foolishly supposed to be fleeting."

"It wouldn't have been particularly painful," she replied, "if you had been shaved, though I remember that I was very much afraid of you because you always seemed so melancholy. But that beard really hurt, and I made the welkin ring, as you no doubt recall. I wouldn't let my father kiss me for a month after that."

They both laughed at this memory of old days, but in Lancaster's heart there was a lurking of self reproach. It was nearly fourteen years since he, a beautiful child, now grown to womanhood, had been left an orphan, and, though she was the daughter of one of his best friends, Lancaster had never seen her in all that time. It flashed across his mind that in those years she might often have stood in need or in peril. It is true that she had been left sufficiently well provided for and in the care of relatives.

He felt guilty as he looked at her. So far as he was concerned, it was by pure chance that this priceless jewel had not been trampled upon by the frenzied selfishness that rushes through the highways of the world.

It appeared, however, that he had met with no great misfortune, and the small property left by her father was still sufficient for her needs. She sketched her life to him in the frankest way as he walked with her upon some small errand that had brought her from the house. She had been living in the city for several months and, with a widowed aunt, was dwelling beneath the same roof which Lancaster had chosen as his shelter. This was not an especially remarkable coincidence, as Mrs. Barclay, the landlady, was distantly connected with both the Harwood and Lancaster families.

It was a very pleasant little walk for Lancaster and was marred only by the fact that at the corner of the avenue two very dapperly dressed men lifted their hats to Lancaster with a somewhat exaggerated courtesy. He did not respond to this salute, and neither of the men seemed to be in the slightest degree disturbed or even surprised by his failure to acknowledge their existence. He thought that he detected a rapid questioning look in Miss Harwood's eyes, and in response to it he said somewhat stiffly that he did not know either of the men and that they must have mistaken him for somebody else.

The girl said nothing in response to this assertion, and presently in the pleasure of her company Lancaster forgot the singular annoyances to which he had been subjected. He was, if the truth must be told, a man whom most people thought unamiable, cold, distant and silent. In reality his heart was warm enough and his sympathies quick and acute, but he had had many misfortunes in early life, and they had left a mark upon him. He was of heavy frame and of a stern cast of countenance, and long continued grief at a certain period of his career had deeply lined his face. He usually carried his head somewhat bowed, with his eyes downcast and his expression suggestive of one who ponders deeply upon secret and unpleasant topics, but there were moments when his gray eyes would light up and the heavy lines of his face would soften, so that he might almost be called handsome.

It happened that there was a play at one of the theaters which Lancaster very much desired to see, and he happened to mention it to Miss Harwood. She had not seen the play, but had heard it praised, and the result of all



THE YOUNG WOMAN TURNED QUICKLY. This was that the girl accepted Lancaster's invitation for herself and her aunt to see the performance.

This incident would not be important except for a strange thing which happened in connection with it.

The theater was not far from Mrs. Barclay's, and, as the evening was pleasant, both Grace and her aunt expressed a desire to walk. While the play was in progress, however, the weather changed, and when they came out of the theater it was beginning to rain.

Lancaster found a carriage, and they rode home. As they stopped before the door the rain began to fall in big drops, and Lancaster hurried the two ladies across the sidewalk to the door. When he turned back to pay the cabman, he was surprised to see the vehicle rapidly moving away. The man had not even asked for his fare.

It may have been a week after this when Lancaster met Mrs. Barclay in the hall of the boarding house as he was going out one evening. He took the old lady gently by the arm and led her into the parlor, which was deserted at that hour.

"Mrs. Barclay," said he, "I want to ask you a very serious question, and you must answer me with the exact truth. What have I done to offend Miss Harwood?"

"Have you offended her?" asked the old lady in a tone which revealed clearly that she knew all about the matter. "Both her and her aunt," said he. "and you must tell me how."

"Harry Lancaster," replied Mrs. Barclay, "I knew your father, and I've known you more or less ever since you were a little boy. I can't believe that there's any harm in one of your blood. But—but I'm afraid you weren't always careful enough about your associates. This big city is a terrible place, and—"

"What in the world do you mean?" demanded Lancaster.

"Well," said Mrs. Barclay, taking a long breath as one does at the beginning of a disagreeable subject, "I can only tell what's been told to me. It seems that your acquaintances are not of a desirable kind. Men that one doesn't like to recognize bow to you on the street, and for a young girl like Grace Harwood to be seen with a man who seems to know every corner loafer—There, you mustn't be offended, yet I can't help telling you. Why, Grace's aunt told me that day before yesterday a most brazen creature with diamonds the size of an egg and bleached hair winked at you—winked knowingly—and waved her hand to you as if you were an old acquaintance."

"But, blessed heaven," exclaimed Lancaster, "I'm not responsible for what such creatures do! I can't prevent these people bowing to me. I have explained to Miss Harwood and her aunt that I am evidently being mistaken for some questionable character well known in this neighborhood."

Mrs. Barclay coughed gently behind her hand.

"Yes," said she, "I was told that you'd said something of the kind. Ah," she continued, "a young man can't be too careful of his associates!"

"Confound it!" interrupted Lancaster. "These people are not my associates. I never saw any of them before. But we won't discuss it. I'll get to the bottom of this mystery first, and I'll do it right away. I'll go out and prow around this quarter, and the first rascal that kotows to me will get the truth choked out of him mighty quick. I

won't have such a nonsensical thing as this ruin the best hope that has come to me in all my life."

As often happens, there was great difficulty in finding an annoyance which unsought was always ready to appear. Lancaster walked the length of the street half a dozen times and not a living creature showed the smallest interest in him. At last he paused wearily upon a corner close by the stairs which led up to a station of the elevated road. He stood there in his customary attitude, his head bowed and his hands clasped behind him. Probably he remained in this position about ten minutes, when suddenly he felt something thrust into one of his hands. Instinctively his fingers closed upon it; then he turned about, but could not see who it was that had given him this unexpected token. Several men were hurrying by, and one of them, just disappearing up the stairs of the station, looked a little like the queer fellow who had made signals on the first day. The man ascended the stairs with great agility and disappeared from view.

Lancaster turned his gaze to the object which had been thrust into his hand. It was a plain envelope sealed tightly, but bearing no address. Lancaster tore it open and was amazed to find it contained five \$100 bills. There was no message whatever; the money was merely wrapped in a blank sheet of coarse paper.

Lancaster stared at it and slowly shook his head.

"This matter," thought he, "has gone entirely beyond me. It is clear that I am mistaken for the head of some extraordinary gang of thieves. This is my share of some recent plunder. I shall have to report this to the police."

He walked to the nearest station, and as he entered the building he saw the rat eyed fellow standing before the desk, between two uniformed officers. The sergeant behind the desk was leaning far over and talking with the trio.

"Obviously I am just in time," thought Lancaster. "They have got one of my gang under arrest, and it was the other, his pal, whom I saw run up the stairs of the 'L' road."

He approached the desk, and as he did so the sergeant, the two uniformed men and the evil eyed fellow between them stared as if he had been a ghost.

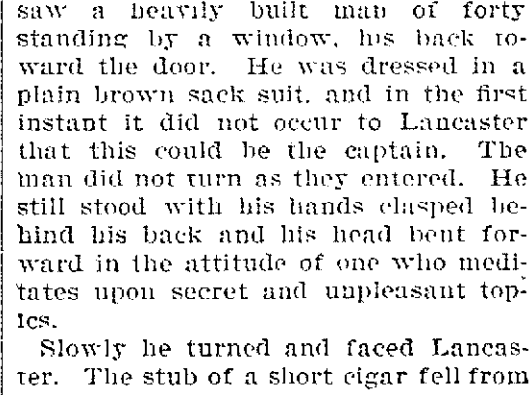
"For a week or more," said Lancaster, addressing the sergeant, "I have been subjected to a peculiar annoyance in this precinct. It is obvious that a gang of land pirates operating hereabout have mistaken me for some person high up in their councils. Here is one result of it—"

And he displayed the envelope with the money. The sergeant stroked his chin.

"This is serious," he said, rising. "I guess you'd better talk to the captain."

He led the way to a private room. When the door was opened, Lancaster saw a heavily built man of forty standing by a window, his back toward the door. He was dressed in a plain brown sack suit, and in the first instant it did not occur to Lancaster that this could be the captain. The man did not turn as they entered. He still stood with his hands clasped behind his back and his head bent forward in the attitude of one who meditates upon secret and unpleasant topics.

Slowly he turned and faced Lancaster. The stub of a short cigar fell from



"WHO THE DEVIL IS THIS?" his lips; his gray eyes opened wide; he raised one hand and passed it across his forehead.

"Who," he gasped—"who the devil is this?"

"I don't know," replied the sergeant, "but I could have made oath it was you when he walked into the station a minute ago."

The rest of the story needs no telling. It appeared immediately that the rat eyed man and his pal were precinct detectives, one of whom had delivered in his usual private manner a bit of money which had come in the regular way of business. Lancaster handed it to the captain and felt much cleaner; for being rid of it.

He was of course easily able to re-establish his reputation at Mrs. Barclay's and to clear himself of all suspicion in the eyes of Miss Harwood and her aunt. He found it best, however, to remove presently to a different quarter of the city. Indeed the captain himself suggested it, having called in a friendly manner for the purpose of making this request.

"It really won't do," said the officer, "to have two of us in one precinct. It makes people too blamed uneasy."



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About the only consolation that one can derive from the proceeding of the present state legislature is that the law makers are not doing much in the way of making good laws, at the same time they are not making any bad ones. About all the public is out by their methods is the money they receive for wages, which, luckily, does not amount to much. One would think, however, that there were some measures that even a half breed and a stalwart could agree on.

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How Kissing Comes and Goes.
The kiss: A kiss is a peculiar proposition. Of no use to one, yet absolute bliss to two. The small boy gets it for nothing, the young man has to steal it and the old man has to buy it. The baby's right, the lover's privilege, the hypocrite's mask. To a young girl, faith; to a married woman, hope, and to an old maid, charity.—Nashville Banner.

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On this 22nd day of April, A. D. 1903, upon reading and filing the petition of Monica Pongratz, widow of Joseph Pongratz, of the county of Wood, third intestate, on or about the 22nd day of December, 1902, and praying that she be appointed administratrix of the estate of said deceased.
That said application be heard before the probate office in the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 26th day of May, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M.
And that in the event of the court's granting a copy of this order for three weeks successively in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper published in said county, previous to the time appointed for said hearing.
By the Court. W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

A SOFT JOB

[Original.]
Two "pals" were sitting over their grog in a cheap gin shop.
"Hey y' tried anythin' lately, Evans?" asked one.
"Well, yes. I tried so'thin' last week."

"Make a haul?"
"Well, I'll give y' the yarn, and y' can make up yer own mind as to that. I was readin' in the papers about the swells that was livin' in the thousand acre shootin' places on Long Island, and I says to myself, says I, 'Evans, me boy, if y' kin git in with the servants of one o' them country places y' might do a fine stroke o' business.' So I fixes myself up in store clothes, puts some bills in me pockets fur treatin' to go with the blarney, and takes the train to —. One mornin' I goes to the big iron gate o' a fine place and keeps me eyes open till I sees the porter leavin' the lodge with some tools over his shoulder. Then I walks in as though I belonged to the place. It wasn't long before I sees a young woman come tearin' along on a mettlesome cob, and it was plain she couldn't manage 'im. When she kem up, I sees that she was frightened, and I jumps for the nag's head and grabs 'im. She had on a black dress, with a white collar. The black dress and collar looked mighty like a servant.
"Yer horse is mighty springy," I says.

"Much obliged for stoppin' 'im," she says. "Ridin' among the trees is dangerous. I might have had me head taken off by a low branch."

"Right y' are," says I. "Yer a fine horsewoman. I don't wonder yer mistress has y' break in her cobs."

"She looked at me cur'us loike and says:
"What're y' doin' in here?"
"I jist walked in to see the place," says I. "And a fine one it is."

"Do y' know any of the servants?"
"No, I don't, but I'm liken to make their acquaintance."

"What for?" she asked, givin' me a sly look.
"I'm a sociable man and likes to spend me money in good company."

"Y' mean yer in the perfession and wants to git a chance to crack the crib."

"Y' do me great injustice," I protested, reproachful loike.
"S'posin' I gives y' a chance, what is there in it for me?"

"Y' could ha' knocked me down with a feather. I'd come all the way to meet suthin' loike this, expectin' to hev to work me way stealthy, and here it was throwed right in me face."

"I've money in me pocket," I told her. "I'll pay down \$50 and if y' 'll meet me in the city after the job I'll give y' a share o' the profit."

"I'll not trust y' for the profit," she says. "Make it a hundred and I'll put y' on the track o' as fine a haul as y' ever made in yer life."

"I give her the hundred and she told me when the night come to climb the trellis at the back o' the house, first makin' sure the lights was out and the house quiet—after 2 o'clock in the mornin' for the quality sets up late—and after crossin' the roof o' the porch I'd find a window unlocked. I was to git in and go down the hall two doors to the right, and I'd find the silver stored away in a closet."

"How will I git out o' the place with the high wall and the gate locked?"
"I'll speak to the porter," she says. "He's one of us. He'll off now; I won't do for us to be seen talkin' here. I'd lose me place for that alone."

"With that she spoke to her cob and rode away."

"I goes o' t' h' a mile or so in the woods and wankers about till the middle o' the night, then creeps up to the crib, waitin' two hours longer for the last light to go out and an hour more to make sure all was asleep. Then I goes to the back o' the house, and, sure enough, there was the porch and the lattice, with no trouble at all to climb to the roof. It was but three steps to the window, and when I tries it, it slides up as if it had been greased."

"I gits into the window and feels me way along the wall till I comes to the second door. It was standin' open, and I blessed the girl for makin' it so easy for me. When I got into the room, I shot it and, first makin' sure the curtains was down, tuk out me bullseye. Openin' a close, I see a heap all rolled up in a sheet and, feelin' o' it, knows by the heft that it was the silver."

"Well, I didn't crute the hundred I'd give the girl, for I know'd there was a mighty lot of it and even reeled down there'd be ten times what I'd paid for it."

"Come out o' that," says a man's voice behind me, and turnin', the "larks" went up all over the house at once, and a cop had me covered.

"Well, they tuk me downstairs, and there, in me toogey, stood the girl that 'done' me, a-givin' orders to the servants, and it was plain enough she was the mistress o' the house."

"Madam," says the policeman, "y'll have to appear ag'in 'im in the mornin'."

"I'll do no such thing," she says, haughty like. "He saved me from havin' me head taken off by the limb of a tree when me horse was unmanageable. Let him go."

"They tuk me away, and the next mornin', as no one appeared ag'in me—they greased the cop, I reckon—the judge give me thirty fur me character, and so I got off mighty easy. I read an account o' the affair in a paper, written up by the funny man, I reckon, and it said the lady was a daughter o' one o' them silver kings in the west that had married a New York swell. She was the best horsewoman, the best tennis player, the best shot, on Long Island."

THOMAS EASTMAN WREN.

THE "TOUCH" ARTISTIC.

A Delicate Job That the Thief Could Not Resist Doing.
We have cut society too much on the square. Perpendicular and horizontal lines do not make the only intelligent divisions. The relationship of Raphael with a pickpocket I talked to once is more intimate essentially than it is with some makers of "pictures" and molders of "statuary." The thief had been arrested because, having obtained permission to live in New York provided he did not work there, he was caught stealing a watch.

"Why did you do it?" I asked him.
"Well, I'll tell you," he said. "I simply couldn't help it. I'm no kleptomaniac. It isn't the stealing I like, but the fun of doing a hard job prettily. This is the second turn I've made. The first was like this: I saw a rich, fat man in a crowd, and I noticed that his watch was hung in a new way, hard to break. My fingers itched, not for the watch, but to break it off. I moved up, lifted the watch, walked away with it and then went back and hung the thing on the chain again. This second time something like that. I saw a delicate job, tried it, got the watch, and just then the fellow happened to look for the time. He 'hollered,' and a detective near by pinched me. I don't think I'm what you'd call a natural thief, but I like to work with my fingers, and I like the excitement of stealing."—McClure's.

Frederick the Great.
In the course of some military evolutions Frederick the Great of Prussia, irritated by some mistake of a captain, ran after him with his stick in order to strike him. The captain ran away. The next morning the commanding officer reported to the king that the officer in question, one of the most efficient in the regiment, had sent in his papers. "Tell him to come to me," said the king. The officer, in great perturbation, came. "Good morning, major," he apostrophized the officer, who was speechless with surprise. "I wanted to tell you of your promotion, but you ran so fast I could not catch you up. Good morning."

Another time an officer attempted to get a comrade into bad odor with the king by telling his majesty that he was a drunkard. In a subsequent battle the latter's fitness was conspicuous, whereas his slanderer played a very poor part. When afterward he defied past the king at the head of his regiment, his majesty called out to him in a voice of thunder. "The sooner you take to drink the better."

The Early Circus.
Leaving out of count the great circuses of Rome and Antioch and coming down to something of modern times, the first circus in England was on a footpath known as Halfpenny Hatch, in the Waterloo road, London. There, in 1770, Astley's first performance was given, with the aid of a drum, two fifes and one clown. A charge of sixpence was made for the front standing places. There was no building and not even a tent, but merely a ring of ropes and stakes. Primitive as were the arrangements Astley soon attracted good audiences and was able to add to his programme conjuring, transparencies, vaulting and tumbling, with displays of fireworks. In course of time he was able to hire an inclosed ground and erected seats under a substantial roof. He called the place Astley's Amphitheater Riding house.

A Hearty Eater.
In a book on gastronomy appears this anecdote of the gastronomic prowess of a Swiss guard in the employment of the Marechal de Villars: "One day the guard was sent for by the marechal, who had heard of his enormous appetite. 'How many steaks of beef can you eat?' he tentatively asked. 'Ah, monseigneur, for me I don't require many—five or six at the most.' 'And how many legs o' mutton?' 'Legs o' mutton? Not many—seven or eight.' 'And fat pellets?' 'Oh, as to pellets, only a few—a dozen.' 'And of pigeons?' 'As to pigeons, monseigneur, not many—forty, perhaps fifty.' 'And larks?' 'Larks, monseigneur? Always.'"

Family Relations.
"Who is that man you were just talking with?"
"That's my brother-in-law."

"He looks enough like you to be your own brother."

"He is my own brother. We are twins."

"Twins? Then why did you say he was your brother-in-law?"

"Because he is. I have three brothers—one in law, one in medicine and one in the army."—Minneapolis Tribune.

Hero Worship.
"It strikes me that Brinken deserves a great deal of credit."

"He never impressed me as a brainy man."


"That's just the point. When a man with so little brains as Brinken has managed to be so prosperous, I can't help feeling that he must possess some great and mysterious superiority."—Washington Star.

The Only One.
An American tourist who called on Robert Burns' widow, Jean Armour, a few years after his death had the audacity to ask her, "Can you show me any relics of the poet?" "Sir," answered the old lady, with majestic dignity, "I am the only relic of Robert Burns!"

Plain Talk.
The Miserly Traveler—Be careful with that trunk, you vagabond! I wouldn't have it fall for 10 shillings.

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